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DAILY GAZETTE.

THE LATEST NEWS.

Condensed Telegrams from All Quarters.

—The races of the Louisville Jockey Club commence to-day.

—The Presbyterian General Assembly commences its sessions in Cleveland on the 20th instant.

—Charles A. Glenn, proprietor of the Columbus (Ohio) *Gazette*, died on Sunday of consumption.

—At a fire in Houston, Texas, three men, unable to escape from a building, were burned to death.

—The middle division of the Erie Canal is nearly filled with water, and boats will commence locking to-night.

—Arthur E. Galt, age nineteen, a clerk in the Lynchburg (Va.) National Bank, has absconded with $10,000.

—Jesse D. Bright, ex-U. S. Senator from Indiana, is now lying dangerously ill at his residence in Baltimore, with rheumatism of the heart.

—A fire at Wilmington, Ohio, on Sunday morning, destroyed Taylor's carriage factory and dwelling adjoining. The loss is about $8,000; no insurance.

—Jacob Hade, formerly cashier of the Farmer's National Bank at Mansfield, Ohio, has been arrested, charged with embezzling $29,000 from that bank.

—At Cincinnati, Sunday, Wm. Frenan, aged thirteen, shot and killed his infant brother, aged fourteen months, with a revolver with which he was playing.

—Mitchell, Iowa, was visited by a disastrous conflagation last Friday night, which destroyed J. C. Tyson's elevator, two grain houses, and an adjoining office.

—Careful estimates, based on the sales of tickets, place the total number of visitors at the Cincinnati musical festival, last week, at from 35,000 to 37,000 persons.

—Patrolman Kick, who was shot in the breast, in Columbus, Ohio, on Thursday night, while attempting to arrest a gang of burglars, died on Saturday afternoon.

—A telegram received in Philadelphia from the consulate in Panama announces the death at Quayaqil on the 7th inst., of Hon. Thomas Biddle, United States Minister to Ecuador.

—A dispatch says a fight occurred at the farm of Mrs. Samuels, the mother of the notorious James boys, near Kearney, Mo., on Friday night, but between whom or of what nature is not known.

—Out of thirty or forty election trials that have taken place throughout Ontario, Canada, nearly all the sitting members of both political parties have been unseated. About twenty-five or thirty trials are yet to take place.

—Judge Gibson, of Augusta, Ga., refuses to grant an injunction restraining the Georgia Railroad Company from paying the interest on the bonds of the Western Railroad of Alabama, on the ground that the question of the facts involved should go before a jury.

—George T. Smith, of Minnesota, of "middling purifying" notoriety, was brought before the United States Commissioner in Albany by a United States Marshal from St. Louis, and held to bail by the Commissioner to answer a charge of perjury in getting his patent.

—The retail drug store of Strong, Cobb & Co., in Cleveland, was burglarized on Sunday afternoon. The thief was captured shortly afterward, and twelve dollars in gold and a bag filled with perfumes and toilet articles, &c., to the value of about three hundred dollars, recovered.

—John P. Branch, of Virginia, has applied for an injunction in the United States Court at Savannah, Ga., to restrain the sale of the Macon & Brunswick Railroad, on the ground that no provision is made for the payment of the second series of bonds endorsed by the State and repudiated by the Legislature.

—The Central Union German Relief Association of the United States, a Catholic organization, commenced its twentieth annual session in Cincinnati on Sunday. The object of this meeting is to discuss religious subjects and their bearing on the societies, and to adopt general rules for observance by local societies.

—A party of unknown men rode up to the house of Ben Ivens, a colored man, living on a farm five miles from Lexington, Mo. about eight o'clock Friday night, called him out, and riddled him with buckshot, killing him instantly. No cause is known for the act. Ivens had the reputation of being a quiet and peaceable man.

—The jury in the case of Col. W. A. Terrel, who killed Harvey Myers, a prominent lawyer of Covington, Ky., about a year ago, have brought in a verdict of "voluntary manslaughter," and sentenced the prisoner to the penitentiary for seven years. A motion was immediately made for a new trial and argued, and the Judge granted the motion.

Gen. Breckinridge's Condition.

LEXINGTON, KY., May 16.—The condition of General Breckinridge remains unchanged. He still remains cheerful. He seems to be much less concerned at his condition than those around him. He has the papers read to him, and converses with his few chosen friends, who are admitted. Some of his more hopeful friends entertain hopes of his remaining among us for some time, but the more knowing ones see he cannot remain much longer, and is liable to be called away at any moment. His pulse is very weak. His illness is the topic of conversation, and every word uttered in relation to his condition is listened to with interest. Many of his relatives and friends from abroad are here to be with him in his last hours. Many friends from all parts of the country seek intelligence hourly of his condition by wire.

STATE BREVITIES.

JUDGE HALL, of Bedford, has gone to Europe.

THE puddlers of the Chesapeake nail works, at Harrisburg, have struck for an advance of $1 per ton on their present wages. They have recently been paid at the rate of $4.50 per ton.

A GRAND military parade and picnic is announced to come off at Reading on the 28th inst. Gov. Hartranft and staff are expected to be present, as well as a large number of visiting officers and troops.

HON. G. DAWSON COLEMAN, of Lebanon, ex-State Senator from that district, and now a member of the Board of Charities, is erecting on his farm in Elizabeth, Lancaster county, a memorial chapel in respect to James Coleman, who died a few years ago.

THE Carlisle *Volunteer* says: "The Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Shippensburg having appointed assignees, all hopes of its again starting in business are at an end. It is hopelessly insolvent, and scores of men, women, and orphan children, who confided in it, are utterly ruined. For a bank of its capital ($65,000) it is the worst failure we ever heard of. For years the money of its depositors has been parceled out to favorites. One man drew out of the bank $10,000 more than the whole capital stock."

THE annual session of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of Pennsylvania will be held at Williamsport, commencing Tuesday, May 18. The officers elect are: M. W. Grand Master, John Levergood, of No. 67, Lancaster; R. W. Deputy Grand Master, George F. Borie, of No. 396, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Warden, S. B. Boyer, of No. 620, Sunbury; R. W. Grand Secretary, James B. Nicholson, of No. 100, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Treasurer, M. Richards Muckle, of No. 46, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Representative to G. L. U. S., Wm. Stedman, of No. 113, Philadelphia.

THE Grand Encampment I. O. O. F. of Pennsylvania will meet in annual session on Monday, May 17, at Williamsport. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: M. W. Grand Patriarch, Sullivan S. Child, of No. 10, Harrisburg; M. E. Grand High Priest, George Bertram, No. 36, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Senior Warden, Edward Jones, of No. 101, Pittsburgh; R. W. Grand Scribe, James B. Nicholson, of No. 51, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Treasurer, John S. Heiss, of No. 26, Philadelphia; R. W. Grand Junior Warden, Allan C. Lukens, of No. 17, Philadelphia; R. W. G. R. to the G. L. U. S., M. Richards Muckle, of No. 51, Philadelphia.

ON Sabbath last, Mr. Dexter Fails, aged 64 years, and his son, aged 15 years, residents of Covode, went to the Big Mahoning on a fishing expedition. They had been engaged in this occupation for some time, when they concluded to move further down the creek. The boy preceded his father, but after fishing awhile, noticed that his father, who had started after him, had not arrived. He started back to ascertain the cause of his delay, and had proceeded but a short distance when he was horrified to see his father lying on some rocks at the edge of the stream and just below a steep embankment. He hastened to him and found that he was dead, his neck having been broken by the fall. The lad summoned assistance, and the body was removed to the home of the deceased, and was interred on Monday.

FIRST EDITION.

NEW YORK.

The Tilton-Beecher Scandal Case.

Judge Neilson Outlining His Charge to the Jury.

Bowen Interviewed on the "Submission" Paper.

Silk Combination to Defraud the Revenue.

NEW YORK, May 15, 1875.

The Silk Combination.

The detectives connected with the capture of Lawrence say that the silk combination to defraud the revenue was one of the greatest conspiracies ever formed. It numbered about five hundred members, many of them men of wealth and position, both here and abroad. The most extensive ramifications of the system were in England and on the Continent, agents being kept in nearly every large port.

The Brooklyn Scandal.

Judge Neilson is outlining his charge to the jury in the Tilton-Beecher scandal case. His Honor's ideas of what a Judge's charge should be are somewhat different from the practice which has obtained with some of the Judges of the State. Judge Neilson is opposed, as a general rule, to any comments by the Judge upon the testimony as presented. He believes in confining his charge to an outline of the case as presented, the points of law involved and the points in the evidence that are entitled to particular consideration. The charge will probably occupy from a day to a day and a half. It is stated that after the verdict is rendered, whatever it may be, the counsel for Tilton and Moulton will press the criminal indictments found against them by the Grand Jury last fall to some sort of an issue.

The Brooklyn *Eagle* has an interview with Henry C. Bowen, in which occurs the following:

Reporter—I would like to ask you one question with regard to the paper called the "Submission," which was drawn on the night of the arbitration. How do you explain the fact that on the cross-examination of all the members the plaintiff's counsel did not ask them if they had seen such a paper?

Mr. Bowen—Because they did not know of its existence. On the night of the arbitration a friend came to me. I'll tell you who it was. It was Storrs, and he said to me: "Bowen, they are laying a trap for you down there." I said, "In what way?" He answered: "Why, they are going to bring in Tilton's charges of seduction against Beecher, and all the other difficulties between them, and are to make them part of your settlement. They want to have them settled at the same time." I answered that they would not draw me into that trap if I had my senses about me. So I went there, and the "Submission" was drawn up, which stipulated that the business difficulties between Tilton and myself were only to be considered. It was laid on the table, and after the arbitration was over I put it, with the canceled contracts, into my pocket and locked them up in my safe, and forgot all about having the "Submission." Tilton forgot it, Moulton forgot it, and their counsel didn't know anything about it. Tilton's lawyers came to me seven or eight times to try and get me to make some statement of what I would testify to, but I said I would not say one word until I was under oath and on the witness stand. Then, when I got there, Fullerton stood up, and trembling, put to me the question to produce all the papers in my possession relating to the case, and I did so, and when they saw the "Submission" Tilton, Moulton and Tilton's lawyers were delighted, while Beecher's side was thunderstruck. Now, I haven't spoken one word to Tilton since that arbitration, and the members of the committee testify they don't remember of such a paper. Well, there is the writing of it in Moulton's big, scrawling style, with Tilton's signature and mine, three good substantial and living witnesses to the truth of my statement. What more is wanted?

Anniversary Services.

The anniversary services of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian church were held this evening. Rev. Dr. Wm. Adams presided. The Secretary reported the receipts for the past year as $456,718; expenditures, $495,000; leaving a deficit of $38,282.

Rev. Dr. Hall's new church on Fifth avenue and Fifty-fifth street was filled this evening on the occasion of the celebration of the semi-centennial of the American Tract Society. Justice Strong, of the United States Supreme Court, presided. A number of gentlemen delivered interesting addresses.

The anniversary services of the American Congregational Union were held this evening in the Church of the Pilgrim, Brooklyn. Rev. Dr. Storrs preached the anniversary sermon, in which he minutely reviewed the workings of the Union during the past year, which presented more than cheerful results.

The Raid on Whisky.

Collector Freeland, acting under orders received from Washington, detained about one hundred and fifty barrels of whisky in Brooklyn. It had recently arrived from the West, and is supposed to be "crooked" whisky. Collector Freeland is now inspecting all the rectifying establishments in his district. There are fifteen such places, and the object of the inspection is to ascertain whether any of the so-called "crooked" whisky has been received. Since the seizures were made public the owners of only two distilleries in the district have notified the Collector of their intention to run their full capacity. All the distilleries that have been closed or partially closed will again resume operations.

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific R. R.

President Tracy, of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad Company, said, yesterday, that at the June meeting the directors would consider the proposition to build a branch road to their Washington lands, a distance of about fifty miles. It has not yet been determined whether they will issue bonds for its construction.

The Schiller Disaster.

A special from London says that about one hundred and thirty bodies have been recovered from the wreck of the Schiller, including those of Wm. Frahm, of Davenport, Iowa; Michael Hurleman, of Highland, Illinois, and the Leonhardt family, of Augusta, Georgia.

SAN FRANCISCO.

The New Trust Deed of James Lick.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 15.—James Lick has made a new trust deed. It differs from that revoked in a few particulars. The donation for statuary at the State Capitol of $250,000 is changed to $100,000 for statuary at the City Hall in San Francisco; the appropriation for the Key monument is reduced from $150,000 to $60,000; $700,000 for the Lake Tahoe Observatory is committed to the University of California, to be used for the same purpose; the donation to the Mechanic Arts School is raised from $300,000 to $540,000; the gift to his son is raised from $3,000 to $150,000; for himself he gives up the lien of $25,000 annually, and takes the gross sum of $500,000. The estate becomes immediately available for beneficiary purposes. He will be one of the trustees himself, and the others will be announced shortly. Most of the beneficiaries have given their assent to the new arrangement. No doubt is entertained as to the action of those not yet heard from.

CHICAGO.

Reformed Episcopal Church Convention.

CHICAGO, May 15.—The Council of the Reformed Episcopal Church yesterday directed the appointment of a committee to prepare a translation of suitable parts of the prayer book for use in German congregations. Part of the session was devoted to the consideration of the articles of religion as revised and reported by the Committee on Doctrine and Worship. The first—Of the sufficiency of the Holy Scriptures for Salvation—led to a general debate on the propriety of a revision, which was almost unanimously sustained, though it was resolved to retain, as far as possible, the ancient numbering. Three articles were provisionally accepted by an unanimous vote, after additions to the forms reported. These were entitled, "Of the Holy Trinity," "Of the Word of the Son of God," which was made very manifest, and "Of the resurrection of Christ and his second coming." An article on "Christ's Descent into Hades" was stricken out of the motion of Bishop Cheney with but few dissenting votes.

The next session, of 1876, will be held at Ottawa, Canada.

SPORTING NEWS.

The Terre Haute Races.

TERRE HAUTE, IND., May 15.—The first race, running, mile heats, was won by Gloster in 1:48¼ and 1:55.

The Lexington Races.

LEXINGTON, KY., May 15.—The first race, mile heats, for beaten horses, was won by Misfortune in 1:55¼ and 1:56¾.

The second race, 1¾ miles, was won by Bigfellow in 3:29¾.

The third race, 2½ miles, was a walk-over for Monmouth.

The fourth race, 1¼ miles, was won by Millionairein 2:25¾.

FROM WASHINGTON.

$5,000,000 Five-twenty Bonds Called In.

The War on Dealers in "Crooked" Whisky.

Reduction in Foreign Letter Postage.

WASHINGTON, May 15, 1875.

Personal.

Judge Pierrepont, the new Attorney General, took charge of the office to-day, and was called upon by the heads of bureaus and others.

Commissioner Pratt took charge of the Internal Revenue Office to-day.

Sympathy for Ex-Commissioner Douglass.

At an informal meeting of officers, clerks and other employes of the Bureau of Internal Revenue, this afternoon, to give expression of their feelings in reference to the severance of the official relations with Commissioner Douglass, his successor, Commissioner Pratt, was called to the chair, and complimentary resolutions were unanimously adopted. Commissioner Pratt declared his sympathy with the feeling manifested in the resolutions, which were "so well expressed and so well deserved." His own appointment, he said, had been unexpected and unsolicited, and he wished he might at the close of his own term of service enjoy the same appreciation and good feeling.

Bonds Called In.

The Secretary of the Treasury has made a call for five million coupon bonds, upon which interest will cease on and after August 15 next. The nineteenth call for redemption of five millions coupon 5-20 bonds of 1862 embraces the bonds within the following numbers: $50, No. 18,701 to No. 20,300, both inclusive; $100, No. 48,001 to 51,600, both inclusive; $500, No. 25,001 to 27,500, both inclusive; $1,000, No. 75,851 to 80,650, both inclusive. United States securities forwarded for redemption should be addressed to the Loan Division of the Secretary's office.

The Whisky Frauds.

The further prosecution of the whisky frauds, together with all the evidence and records, will on Monday turned over by the Solicitor of the Treasury to Mr. Pratt, Commissioner of Internal Revenue. The various supervisors who have been acting with the Solicitor have been ordered to report directly to the Commissioner and receive further instructions from him. The secret service force of the Treasury, however, will continue to aid the internal revenue authorities in detecting and seizing "crooked" whisky and bringing offenders to justice.

Indian Visitors.

Major H. W. Bingham, Indian agent at Cheyenne, arrived here to night with nine Sioux Indians, and W. [illegible] Fielder as interpreter.

WASHINGTON, May 16, 1875.

Reduction in Foreign Letter Postage.

The Postmaster General, under authority of the act of Congress of June 8th, 1872, has ordered that the rate of U. S. postage on letters sent to or received from foreign countries with which different rates have not been established by postal convention or other arrangement, when forwarded by vessels regularly employed in transporting the mail, be reduced from ten to five cents for each half ounce or fraction thereof, to take effect July 1st, 1875.

Investigating the Executive Departments.

The select committee of the Senate appointed to examine into the condition of the Executive Departments, in order to report at the next session of Congress what reforms are necessary, have nearly completed their work.

THE WEATHER.

OFFICE OF THE OBSERVER,
UNITED STATES SIGNAL SERVICE,
PITTSBURGH, Pa., May 16, 1875.

Local Observations.

Time.	Bar.	Ther.	Humidt.	Wind.	Weather
7 A. M.	30.382	42	58	N.W.	Clear.
2 P. M.	30.299	58	26	N.W.	Clear.
9 P. M.	30.312	49	31	N.	Clear.

Mean Barometer, 30.326.
Mean Thermometer, 49.
Highest Thermometer, 66.
Lowest Thermometer, 36.

GEO. H. ROHE,
Sergt., Sig. Service, U. S. A.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WASHINGTON, 1 A. M., May 17, 1875.

Probabilities for To-Day.

For Monday in the South and Middle Atlantic States, stationary and rising barometer, northeast winds, partly cloudy and clear weather, with stationary or higher temperatures.

BOSTON.

Contraband Whisky Seized.

BOSTON, May 15.—For some days past United States Revenue Collector Slack and Detective Hayes have been quietly investigating the books of the liquor firms in this city, having learned that a large amount of contraband western liquors had been shipped to Boston. The investigation has resulted in the seizure in transit to this city of some $50,000 worth of liquors, consigned principally to D. T. Mills & Co. and C. A. & W. Bird. Thus far no firms in this city have been implicated in any direct complicity in the contraband traffic. The investigation is still proceeding.

Later.—As a result of the investigation into the liquor establishments of this city, about five hundred packages of liquors, valued at $200,000, the property of thirty different firms, were seized.

ST. LOUIS.

The Mayoralty Election.

ST. LOUIS, May 15.—The result of the election to-day for Mayor, as reported by the police telegraph from various precincts, is as follows: Col. J. A. Britton, Democrat, 15,611; Henry Overstolz, Independent, 14,994; Britton's majority, 617.

BEAVER FALLS.

Business Prospects — Prosperous Times Ahead — The Manufactories in Full Operation.

BEAVER FALLS, Pa., May 15, 1875.

Our city is in a fair way to start with the season in business operations. We have not had such a show of prosperity for more than two years if indeed ever before.

Messrs. Able, Pedder & Co., of Pittsburgh, are building a "steel works" near the cutlery works, which will be completed at the earliest period possible. These gentlemen have the "vim" of true business men, and will doubtless meet fully the expectation of the community.

The Pittsburgh Hinge Co. have started the hinge factory with a degree of energy that might be expected from such enterprising men as Oliver & McMahan. Their foreman, Mr. Wm. Shannon, of this place, knows how to manage both men and business. They are now working twenty-five hands, and soon expect to furnish employment for 75 or 100 hands.

The cutlery is closely engaged in filling orders, which come from far away and near by. This business establishment has not stopped during the late panic, except for repairs and improvements.

The shovel factory of Armor & Myers is under full head. The factory is running on full time and doing a successful business.

The axe factory is being rebuilt by our energetic and enterprising fellow-citizen, Mr. Graff. A substantial building, surpassing the former one, is well on the way. The hammers will soon be heard again on the same ground as before the fire did its work.

The saw factory, under the inventive genius of Mr. Emmerson, is in trim for business.

Business generally is on the move. Buildings are going up for places of residence, stores, etc. Barely the cloud has passed away, and sunshine has come with delightful spring. "The world moves." W.

CANONSBURG, PA.

Review of the 10th Penn. Reserves —Crop and Fruit Prospects of Washington County.

To the Editors of the Pittsburgh Gazette:

CANONSBURG, May 14, 1875.

The farmers are busy. Yes, very busy, and I think from what I can see I am safe in saying there is more corn being planted than has been for ten years. They, the farmers, speak very discouragingly of the wheat and other fall sowing. Though 'tis a fact, and a very noticeable one, that each day now makes even those fields which did seem almost totally frozen out look tolerable fair, and yet Washington county will likely be compelled to import some better wheat or live on less of it, and if the wool, which by the way is one of our principal products, goes off pretty lively at about 50c per pound, giving our farmers a little spare cash, we can get along on corn and such things. The fruit too is, generally speaking, killed; a few late cherry and plums, a very few late apples, some small fruits. Taking all in all, unless the season opens more favorably than thus far, Washington county will likely be in the field as purchaser instead of producer.

The town is all astir over the reunion of the 10th Penn. Reserves, which meet in Canonsburgh next Monday, the 19th inst., and if the day be a favorable one, we anticipate a gala day. I say, and "so say we all of us," welcome ye war worn veterans.

G. P.

SECOND EDITION.

FOREIGN NEWS.

French Monarchists Living in Hopes.

Carlists Preparing to Attack Rentaria.

Particulars of the Recent Revolution in Hayti.

The Financial Crisis in Brazil.

WEST INDIES.

The Revolution in Hayti.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The following from Kingston, Jamaica, May 8th, gives the story of the latest so-called revolution in Hayti. Saturday, 1st of May, was celebrated as an annual agricultural festival throughout Hayti. On the evening previous President Dominique was advised of a conspiracy to assassinate him the following day with a view to establish Monplaiser Pierre in the Presidency, supported by General Bryce and General Canal. While the President was in church three separate bodies of troops were sent to arrest the conspirators. General Bryce, residing immediately opposite the British consulate, was first surrounded. He refused to surrender and shot down four Haytian officers before he was fired upon and mortally wounded, when he crept into the British consulate and died. A shot intended for General Bryce killed a servant of the British Consul. A servant of General Bryce was also killed. When the troops reached the residence of Monplaiser Pierre, who was a candidate for the Presidency when General Nissage's term expired, he resisted until wounded, when he retired to the attic and shot himself. When General Canal was met he was in the vicinity of the American Minister's residence, at the head of a body of soldiers. These, on seeing the Government forces, forsook General Canal and fled. The General went into Mr. Bassett's residence under the stars and stripes, where he remained.

The scene which followed these incidents is indescribable. The President, a man of overwhelming passion, directed the arrest of every person suspected, and arrests were made throughout the Republic, causing a general panic. Several houses and stores were pillaged and burned.

GREAT BRITAIN.

Contributions for the Schiller Survivors.

PLYMOUTH, May 15.—The steamship Lessing, a sister vessel to the Schiller, which left New York a week after the departure of the latter vessel, arrived here this morning. There was great excitement among the passengers when they were apprised of the disaster that had befallen the Schiller. A contribution was taken up among them for the relief of the survivors.

Reported Disaster Denied.

LONDON, May 15.—The report received here on Thursday night, in a dispatch from Penzance, that a Liverpool steamer had gone ashore on Beecher Island, one of the Scillys, was untrue. The blowing off of steam and whistling by a steamship passing during the fog, and the firing of gunboats that were practicing in the vicinity, gave rise to the report.

SOUTH AMERICA.

The Financial Crisis.

RIO JANEIRO, May 15.—The National Bank which suspended has asked forbearance of the creditors, promising to pay in full with interest. The suspension has caused a sensation, and many depositors in other banks withdrew their funds. The Bank of Brazil came to the aid of the banks and the Government introduced a bill in the Chamber of Deputies authorizing the issue of 25,000 contos to relieve the crisis, which was caused by the absorption of capital by great undertakings in the provinces. These steps restored confidence.

FRANCE.

The Savings Bank Bill.

PARIS, May 15.—The National Assembly to-day rejected the principal clause of the Savings Bank bill, and it was thereupon withdrawn by the committee having it in charge. The Chamber adjourned until Tuesday.

Hopes of a Monarchy.

PARIS, May 16.—The Compt de Chambord has written a letter to M. De Beleastel, member of the Assembly for the Haute Garrone, in which he declares he still has hopes that the monarchy will be re-established in France.

GERMANY.

Count von Arnim's Case.

BERLIN, May 15.—The trial of Count von Arnim on an appeal has been fixed for July 1st.

Priests Released.

BERLIN, May 16.—The priests imprisoned in Posen and neighboring towns have been released and informed that evidence with regard to the alleged secret administration of a diocese by a papal delegate is no longer required by the Government.

A Conspirator Arrested.

LONDON, May 15.—A dispatch from Berlin states that the alleged principal in the conspiracy against Prince Bismarck's life is named Dunin, and has been arrested in Cracow.

RUSSIA.

The St. Petersburg Conference.

LONDON, May 15.—The *Pall Mall Gazette* says Russia, annoyed at England's persistent refusal to participate in the St. Petersburg conference, and the coldness of other countries, intends giving the force of law to the declaration of the Brussels conference, negotiating separately with powers to induce their adherence thereto.

AFGHANISTAN.

Destructive Conflagration in Pessawar.

LONDON, May 15.—A dispatch from Pessawar, Afghanistan, says that place was visited by a very destructive conflagration and half the city was laid waste. At one time the powder magazine was in peril, but the fire was happily stopped before it reached it.

AUSTRIA.

The Emperor's Tour Ended.

VIENNA, May 15.—Emperor Francis Joseph, who has been making a tour of his dominions, returned to-day, and was enthusiastically received by the populace.

ITALY.

A Journal Suspended.

ROME, May 16.—The journal *La Voce Della Verita* was suspended for publishing the Pope's address to the German pilgrims.

SPAIN.

Carlists Preparing to Attack Renteria.

SANTANDER, May 16.—The Carlists have stopped firing on Guetaria, and are preparing to attack Renteria.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Commissioner's Office—Additional Candidates.

In a brief notice in reference to the County Commissionership on Saturday, we called attention to the claims of three gentlemen who are being urged by their friends. Lack of space at the time prevented a notice of all the candidates, and this morning we complete the list.

Mr. George W. Weddell, of North Versailles township, is a gentleman who is well known in the cities and throughout the county. Mr. Weddell, is a plain spoken, straightforward man, who has both the ability and integrity necessary to enable him to satisfactorily fill the office to which he aspires. He is strongly pressed by his friends in the rural districts, who claim that his services to the party entitle him to some recognition, while his merits cannot be gainsayed.

Mr. J. M. Edmundson, of Robinson township, is a new man, who comes strongly endorsed by those who know him best. Mr. Edmundson, we believe, has never either held office or aspired to one heretofore, but his record both in public and private life is all right, and if such claims are to be recognized, he will go into the Convention with a strong hand. He has been a quiet though efficient worker in the ranks, and now that he comes to the front, his friends are determined to make his merits and claims known.

Last, but not by any means least on the list, is Mr. John Robb, of Scott township—Mr. Robb is a very fine gentleman, who is alike popular in the city and country districts, and wherever he is known. He, like some of the others, has never been out for office, but has contented himself with doing faithful service for the party. It is not on this ground alone, however, that he is now urged for the position but on the ground, as well, of personal fitness. He is a man of unquestioned high character, who, unless his official life belied all his private actions, would worthily fill the office. He is a safe man, and his friends are leaving no stone unturned, in a fair way, to put him through.

No Summer Vacations

at the Iron City College. School always in session. Students admitted at any time. Time and money saved by attending during the summer, when the school is not so crowded as during the fall and winter. For circulars, address the Principal, Prof. J. C. Smith, A. M., Pittsburgh, Pa.

The Iron City College

is the only institution of the kind in this city that we recommend to the public patronage.—*Presbyterian Banner January 27, 1875.*

TEMPERANCE.

Mass Meetings Held at the Opera House Yesterday—A Large Attendance Both Afternoon and Evening—Interesting Addresses Delivered—New Ideas Advanced—The Closing Exercises.

A Temperance Mass Meeting was held in the Opera House yesterday afternoon which was very largely attended. Every seat in the galleries was taken and even standing room was not left unoccupied down stairs. At three o'clock, the Committee of Arrangements called a select few on the stage and then asked Mother Stewart, of Springfield, Ohio, to preside. In taking the chair she made a few remarks, in which she said that one of the grandest evidences of the success of the temperance movement was in the large attendance present. She said a year ago, had the announcement of a temperance meeting been made, an audience of about two dozen would have assembled to hear a few old women talk just out of mere curiosity, but at present it was not the case, but on the contrary, the very best classes of society turned out in large numbers to give their influence to the encouragement of the movement. The lady also made reference to the late Convention, and of its character, in that it was made up largely of prominent ministers of all denominations, which she thought would give the work a new impetus, and would aid in pushing it forward. The exercises proper were opened with an anthem by the choir, entitled "And it shall come to pass in the last days," which was followed by the singing of "All hail the power of Jesus' name." Rev. J. Dermitt read the forty-sixth psalm as a scripture lesson, after which he led in prayer.

After the invocation, the choir sung "Battling for the Lord," when Dr. Pearson was introduced by the President, who said she did not know the gentleman, but in conversation with some friends last night, they told her he was "a tip top man," so she was happy to present one so favorably known. The Doctor delivered a very interesting address, and his effort was one full of beautiful thoughts. He said the leaders of every great reform had made their mistakes and cited to the defeat of the Union army in the late war, in support of his statement. He held, however, that these reverses, instead of weakening the cause, tended to strengthen it. The number of victims to intemperance was spoken of in a very forcible manner, as well as the inclinations of young men to fall into habits of inebriation.

The different methods of carrying forward the work was carefully considered and the speaker said while he had his own preference, he did not object to secret societies, prohibition or any other method, which might be adopted to suppress such a wide-spread evil. He thought among Christians a total abstinence pledge should be an intricate part of their religion. The speaker closed by making an eloquent appeal to all classes of people to give their influence to the elevation of the race and the suppression of vice and intemperance.

A collection was taken up when Mrs. Hunt, of Indianapolis, was introduced, who said she was a Quaker and had been associated with a class of people she never expected to mingle with, the liquor dealers, which made her feel very Quakerish. She wondered that amid the Christian influences, the educational advantages and the favorable surroundings of the nineteenth century a single one had to be converted to temperance principles. She referred to the influence which saloon associations had upon a young man and said that in twelve short months such surroundings were enough to ruin the most refined gentleman in all the nation. She drew a picture between slavery and the liquor traffic and said the former had beauties in it, when compared with the latter. In support of this statement she said the slave, though in bondage, could serve God if he was bound to his master, and when he died he would go to his reward even if it had been through great tribulation. The drunkard, on the other hand, could not enjoy these privileges when his brain is set on fire with alcoholic liquors. She predicted that in another decade this would be a nation of drunkards unless men would rally to its rescue. The speaker here made an eloquent appeal to her audience, to come to the front and save the country, and asked if at the time when the country called for troops during the war, men had forgotten their patriotism. If not, said she, "there is a call for loyalty in the prosecution of the temperance cause and soldiers are wanted and will you not join the mighty army." At the close of her address the doxology was sung and the benediction pronounced by Rev. J. Dermitt.

Evening Session.

An immense audience congregated at the same place in the evening, and after calling the house to order, Gen. F. H. Lane was invited to the chair. The exercises were opened with a voluntary anthem by the choir called "The earth is the Lord's." Mrs. M. B. Reese, of Alliance, Ohio, read the first Psalm, which was followed by singing "O for a thousand tongues to sing," &c. Mrs. Hunt, of Indianapolis, led the devotions. A solo entitled "Come ye disconsolate" was next in order, which was rendered in good style.

Mother Stewart, of Ohio, being introduced, proceeded by saying that we are just beginning a series of centennial exhibitions, and that during the next few months there would be a great deal of spread eagle eloquence about our Christian government, but it would be well for the people to pause a moment and balance their accounts to ascertain where they stand. She spoke of the various questions of the times, and said the subject of temperance loomed up so high above the rest that it must be met by old and young, by the ministry as well as the business men. The speaker took the ground that the foreign element, which emigrates to this country, is not to blame for the present state of the liquor traffic in this country. She said that no sooner did the ignorant foreigner land at New York, than they were fed upon liquor, and used for political purposes; and all this is done by American citizens. Instead of teaching them the first principles of our religious institutions, the people of our free land laid before them the easiest method of making money, viz: the selling intoxicating liquors. And now these same individuals have gained such an influence that they can buy and sell the very men who taught them their nefarious business. The speaker reviewed the laws regulating the sale of liquor, and pointed out their defects, saying that they were not enforced, and were to a great extent a dead letter. In conclusion, she drew a picture of a drunkard's life and death, and hoped the young men might be saved from the evils of this dreadful curse.

"All caused by rum," another solo, was sung, when Mrs. Mary Byron Reese took the rostram and said she would take as her subject "Our Crusade." She answered the different charges made against the crusaders, which she summed up into fanatics, unwomanly conduct, radical and ambitious women. She threw out a few practica hints in regard to the successful prosecution of the work, and at times became so earnest that an outburst of eloquence would follow almost involuntarily, which called forth the applause of the entire audience. She paid a high tribute to the press of the country, and said it had done much for the cause, which the crusaders espoused.

Short speeches were made by Mrs. Hunt and Thornton A. Shinn, Esq., of Beaver county, when the audience dispersed for their homes.

The exercises at each coming together were very entertaining, and the congregation gave evidence of their appreciation of what was said by its frequent outbursts of applause. The singing throughout was a success, and added very materially to the interest of the occasion.

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(Telegram.)

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Changing School Grades.

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THE ill-fated "Schiller" has quite gone to pieces,—the lower deck now resting on the rocks, and specie and cargo being washed away. The work of recovering bodies seems to have been abandoned, and but little more can be done to save anything from the wreck.

THE Italian Senate proposes, and has voted a national donation to Garibaldi. The old hero has, up to the present, refused all offers made him, but is said to be poor. Possibly, now that he has defined his political course, he may not regard as indelicate to accept the oft-proffered help.

THE Empress Eugenie seems determined to enforce her claims against the civil list, and will bring suit against the French Government, unless the demands she makes are paid. It seems that the De Broglie Ministry arranged, but did not pay what was due her. The contract then made is to be enforced.

THE whisky raid still continues. The Secretary of the Treasury is thoroughly in earnest, and new cases of violation are coming to the surface from day to day. The ring is driven to bay, and are preparing to make a vigorous fight; but the Government proposes to secure outside assistance and press the cases to an early, and it is believed, successful prosecution.

ELIZUR WRIGHT, who has achieved reputation as an able Life Insurance Actuary, read a paper before the American Social Science Association, a few days since, on the problem of bringing life insurance within reach of the poor. This is, certainly, a very important problem. Mr. Wright thinks it should be associated, in some way, with a self-sustaining savings bank.

THE discovery of an extensive system of smuggling at New York, and the arrest of some of the principals, illustrates two things: 1. The fact that whatever were the evils of the special service, moiety system, it was needed, as a check upon the rascality of at least many New York merchants. 2. That Civil Service Reform was a mere sham, so far as its influence on the honesty of appointees was concerned. The first appointment at the New York Custom House, under that system, was of a scamp, perfectly ready to foster the most extensive system of smuggling. The principals caught, the Government hopes to reach the merchants who have defrauded it of millions of dollars.

THE rigid rule of law by which members of a Board having charge of public duties are prevented from selling their goods to the Board, while wisely designed, is occasionally unfortunate in its application. Four members of the Philadelphia Board of House of Correction, who are professedly pure men, and who did not know of the law referred to, sold to the Board such goods as were in their line, and at perfectly honest prices. One man, who was offended, brought suit against them, and they have resigned, one submitting a statement which proves the moral honesty of his act, and all proving themselves morally innocent. It seems unfortunate that they should be forced to resign, when, by simply calling their attention to the law, the whole difficulty might be promptly obviated.

THE Hannastown Declaration was celebrated at Greensburg, Saturday, and in point of attendance and general interest, was in every particular a fine success. There was a brilliant gathering of celebrities, a considerable attendance of military, and a large concourse of people generally. The oration was delivered by ex-Senator Cowan, and was an eloquent production. The Governor arrived during the day, on his return from Chicago, and was heartily greeted by the assembled multitude. It is gratifying, when arrangements are made to have such a celebration, to know that the interest in the occasion is so general and persuasive. Westmoreland is the mother county, and the interest in an event which occurred where so many other counties were associated with, and a part of her, could not be otherwise than quite considerable. The general interest that seems to be taken in all kindred events shows that the glow of admiration for revolutionary virtues and deeds, still pervades the hearts of the people.

NEW YORK is reaping the first fruits of her compulsory education idea. The "Superintendents of Truancy," gentlemen who have in charge the comprehensive organization by which runaway or stayaway boys are to be arrested and put in prison, succeeded in catching one outrageous little fellow, who criminally violated this generous and loving law, and put him in prison. The solemn satisfaction with which they contemplated the performance of this duty was only equaled by that with which they drew their comfortable salaries. But, unfortunately for this bit of enterprise, the boy's father did not take things so placidly. He sued out a writ of *habeas corpus*, and proposed to test the constitutionality of the law,—to all which the Superintendents of Truancy were unprepared to respond. In brief, that boy was let go, and now all other boys, truantly inclined, propose to pay little attention to the truant law. Thus two things are proven: That Superintendents of Truancy are more ornamental than useful, and that Compulsory Education in New York is a flat failure. We will wait a little before we accept it, with its costly and cumbrous machinery in this State.

THE influence of protective tariff, in creating as well as fostering American industry, is shown in the development of the silk manufacturing business at Paterson, New Jersey. Says the Philadelphia *Times*: It was in 1864 or 1865, we are not certain which, that a tariff act was passed which made the manufacture of silk a possibility in this country. It was contended that we did not have the materials, the skill of the looms,—finer than those with which nature furnishes the spider. But a few courageous, enterprising men went ahead, and the result is the magnificent business which to-day makes a metropolis of Paterson, and elevates that once quiet New Jersey town into a rival of the second city of France. American silk is now as popular with the trade as that of the Belle of Nations. Our society queens are robed in it, and long, slender knots of it encircle the throats of our statesmen. In the public mind there is still a prejudice against it, but that, too, is passing away, and in time we have no doubt, it will be as much thought of as are the fine stuffs of Ormus and of Ind. All this is the result of a tariff; of the much-abused system, in which Professor Perry sees naught but evil, and which Mr. David A. Wells, who was once a disciple of Mr. Carey, thinks is the root of all political evil. Free trade and British gold are bad things, we know—in the estimation of Pennsylvanians—and when they look at the present proportions of the silk trade and compare them with its puny size a few years ago, we are sure that our New York friends will conclude that a tariff and protection, after all, are not the worst enemies to the progress and prosperity of a young country that can be imagined."

THE proceedings of the Temperance Convention held in this city last week, have elicited considerable discussion, some of our contemporaries going so far as to strongly denounce as impracticable and unchristian, the policy of prohibition. There is a sense in which the temperance contest resembles that of abolition. It has in it moral and political elements. There may be said to have been two classes of workers in the anti-slavery field,—the abolitionists, who considered the subject from a high moral standpoint, and bitterly denounced all compromises, and even all workers who held moderate views, and those who operated politically. These latter carefully scanned popular opinion, and kept along with it. The Republican party supplanted the Whig organization, by going further than it on the slavery issue. The Whigs, generally speaking, were opposed to slavery, but the party, as such, sought to treat the question gingerly, or avoid it altogether. But the new Republican party merely sought to confine slavery to its existing boundaries, not to eradicate it altogether. The war and its necessities led to emancipation. So of the temperance contest. The average public sentiment of the country only desires to repress the evils of liquor selling and use, but does not seek the entire prohibition of their manufacture and sale. Hence, the members of the organization that fights the evil are in advance of popular sentiment, drawing it forward. We do not see that this is absolutely unwise. It may not be productive of immediate fruit, but it seems to educate the people up to a standard that may ultimately lead to the wise control of the traffic. It is one thing to be merely up to average sentiment, and another to be an educator.

SELLING A RAILROAD.

The property of the Northern Pacific Railroad is to be sold, at public auction, in front of the New York Custom House, on the first Monday in August next. The proper order has been issued by the Courts. Thus apparently ends an experiment, grand and hopeful at one time, but disastrous in the end, to the large banking house which negotiated the loans, as well as to the small investors, who put their money in its bonds. That the enterprise is finally ruined, does not, of course, follow. A new combination may finally be made, which, buying out the road under foreclosure of the mortgages, will thus escape its debts, and thus have a chance to go ahead. There are four hundred and fifty miles of completed road between Duluth and Bismarck, and, on the Pacific slope nearly or quite one hundred miles more. These completed portions are operated at a profit. Besides, the Columbia River Steamboat Company is also the property of the Northern Pacific Company, and this is said to be a valuable property. Still further, the Company has large bodies of land, most of which are valuable for wheat growing purposes. Such, in brief, is the road that is now offered for sale.

The history of this road is full of lessons for the economist and investor, few of which probably will be considered or profited by. Jay Cooke made reputation and wealth, by placing a Government loan in the market. The country was aflame with patriotism, and this was appealed to. Europe was seeking investments, and those we offered were profitable, and reasonably secure. The press was freely used, and the bonds were rapidly sold. Thus money was made by Cooke, and reputation as well. Like many other successful men, Cooke became possessed of the idea that he could carry through any enterprise, by the mere force of his name. A combination was formed, by which certain capitalists were admitted to the ground floor, on condition of taking $50,000 worth of bonds, and paying for them at par,—these being entitled to lands where town sites were located, and to stock dividends equal to, or far beyond, their bond subscriptions. This first phase of the enterprise was carried successfully through, several Pittsburgh parties being in the combination. The start thus made, bonds and stock were issued, for sale on the general market. All these bonds were secured by the lands, of which the company had the same liberal concession that had previously been made to the Union and Central Pacific railroads.

The road was solidly and carefully built, but was so far away from supplies that it cost heavily, while, from the smallness of population, but little local trade could be obtained. Bonds were sold, in this country and Europe, until the market was oversold, and devices were necessarily resorted to, to keep the market price at a fair standard. At last the credit of the company began to be used, and Cooke allowed himself to be heavily drawn upon. His credit was employed until it could be used no further. In the meantime, the German and Austrian financiers, who had been appealed to, sent out engineers to investigate. They went over the line of road, and reported that, for a term of years, it could not possibly pay interest; but that ultimately,—in from seven to twenty years,—it might be profitable. This prevented a foreign loan. This fact reached, and Cooke failed,—and then the panic, toward which we had been drifting, set in, and all railroad projects declined, and prostration fell upon nearly every branch of industry. Thus the great banker and financier learned he could not do everything; and with it came the lesson to the masses, that no mere name can be trusted, or enterprise rested upon.

It is impossible to forecaste the future of this road. It will not, of course, as the result of this sale, be totally abandoned. Indeed, it can be run at a profit. The country through which it passes is admirably adapted to wheat culture, is rapidly filling up with population, and hence the prospects of the road are steadily increasing. At Fargo, or Moorhead, the Red River trade with the Canadian provinces, taps the road, and is quite profitable. The Lake Superior traffic is quite considerable, while the road to St. Paul brings the Northern Pacific into relations with the great system of railway traffic. At Bismarck the Missouri river trade sets in,—extending up into Montana, and forming a very extensive trade. In brief, the road has large possibilities before it, if wisely and energetically managed. It will cost largely to build over the route to the Pacific; but it will tap the Black Hills, and this region will become populous, if gold continues to be found. Further on, it will open up the Yellowstone region, which will attract tourists. Once it taps the Columbia river trade, it will have a profitable traffic. The bondholders should see if they cannot unite, and utilize their property, rather than lose their investment.

POLITICAL NOTES.

EX-SPEAKER BLAINE is said to prefer Randall to Cox as his successor.

THE Indianapolis *Journal* wants to know if there is no way to forgive Rebels except by electing them to office.

LOUIS E. FISHER, formerly editor of the St. Paul *Pioneer*, is the favorite Democratic candidate for Governor of Minnesota.

MONTGOMERY BLAIR has been heard from on the Presidential question. His preference as a Democrat is for John W. Garrett, the railroad autocrat.

"YOU can never coerce the South."—Fernando Wood, 1861. "Nothing can beat the Democratic party in 1876."—Fernando Wood, 1875. O, Ferdy!

MR. E. D. WINSLOW has bought a three-quarter interest in the Boston *Post* for $300,000. There will be no change in the editorial management or in the politics of the paper.

JAMES B. BECK, of Kentucky, thinks that if Allen is re-elected Governor of Ohio by 40,000 majority, nothing can beat him for the Presidency. This is not hopeful for Mr. Allen. He is more likely to be translated than to receive 40,000 majority this fall.

THE New Orleans *Picayune* calls aloud for a "Clean-man party." Let them have it. If it is started in the South, some one is going to make a colossal fortune out of soap contracts.

"THE majestic Chief Justice of New York," the Hon. Sanford E. Church, is the man whom the Austin *Statesman* of Texas would like to have the Democrats nominate for President.

THE Portland *Argus*, leading Democratic paper in Maine, doesn't yet believe the Democratic majority in Congress "stupid enough to elect Mr. S. J. Randall, Speaker", and recommends that gentleman to subside.

SENATOR MORTON is very much pleased with the Republican triumph in Indianapolis last week. He thinks it has shown beyond doubt that the electoral vote of Indiana next year will be cast for the Republican candidate for the Presidency.

THE six principal candidates for the Speakership of the Forty-fourth Congress are: Samuel J. Randall of Pennsylvania, S. S. Cox and Fernando Wood of New York, William S. Holman of Indiana, Michael C. Kerr of Illinois, and Milton Saylor of Ohio.

ALLENTOWN has already three candidates for the Democratic nomination for Governor, and the Convention does not meet till September, giving the people of that town ample time to present a few more names. Pittsburgh has about the same number.

THE Rochester *Democrat-Chronicle* pungently remarks: "There is evidently a contemplated stuggle between the Springfield *Republican*, the Cincinnati *Commercial* and the Louisville *Courier-Journal* to see which shall run the Independent concern and be Pope to the incoming President."

SENATOR McMILLAN has been charged with an attack of brother-in-lawism in connection with the St. Paul postoffice. At last accounts he was slowly recovering, and denying that he had been sick at all. The trouble seems to be that McMillan is too good a man for the purposes of the Bill King newspapers.—*Chicago Tribune.*

DEMOCRACY is like a worm-eaten ship. Paint and putty may cover its imperfections while in port, but they will show themselves when the worm-eaten hulk is sent to sea. Strip the old hulk of her sails, gentlemen, and let her ride at anchor, in peaceful waves, until nature completes her almost finished work of decay. We don't say that every timber is rotten, but we doubt if enough sound ones are left to make the frame of a life-boat.—*Washington Chronicle.*

THE Lebanon County Republican Committee met on Saturday last and took action with reference to their representative in the State Convention. Cyrus R. Lantz, Esq., Chairman of the Committee, was elected Senatorial delegate, and Messrs. Wm. M. Kaufman, of Sheridan, and C. L. Carmany, of Lebanon, Representative delegates. Mr. Geo. W. Walker, of Jonestown, offered a resolution instructing the delegates to the State Convention, chosen by the committee, to vote for Hon. G. D. Coleman, for State Treasurer, which was unanimously adopted.

AN address to the Republicans of Pennsylvania has been issued by the Committee of Sixty-two of the Union Legue, making a strong appeal in favor of good and fit men for public offices. It refers to the recent reverse of the Republican party in Pennsylvania, saying that the result of the November election shows no change in *sentiment* in the party, but does show a disgust for some of the *men* whose misconduct has brought odium and defeat on the whole organization. The address then declares that the proper and effective remedy for this evil, and to restore the party to its majority, is to select the most worthy men for office.

PERSONAL.

THE Hon. David Sankey, of Newcastle, Pa., is the father of Sankey, the revivalist.

MRS. SPRAGUE has forbidden the proposed sale of the library of the late Chief Justice Chase.

MR. ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS is said to be enjoying better health than he has had for a number of years.

IT seems to be the general impression that Cardinal Manning will succeed Pio Nono. Anything for a change.

EX-COMMISSIONER DOUGLASS has decided to open a law office in Washington, and practice before the Supreme Court and the departments.

MISS ANNA DICKINSON has finished her lecturing tour at the South and has made arrangements for a series of lectures in the Western States.

GENERAL HAWLEY announces his inability, on account of continued ill-health, to accompany the International Rifle Team on their European trip.

IOWA elects a successor to the late Bishop Henry W. Lee at the Episcopal Convention, which will assemble in Cedar Rapids on the 25th of this month.

SECRETARY HAMILTON FISH has just entered on his seventh term as President General of the Society of the Cincinnati—a hereditary organization of soldiers.

THE treatment of the ailment of General Frank Blair by transfusion of blood is continuing with striking success. Twelve ounces of blood were recently transmitted to him from the veins of a healthy man, and the improvement of the patient since the operation is very marked.

GENERAL LOGAN threatens to write a reply to that part of General Sherman's recently published memoirs which refers to himself and General Frank Blair as mere political generals. Logan regards Sherman's criticism as impugning his abilities as a soldier, if not his courage.

THE daughter of the rebel pirate Semmes was married in Mobile the other day beneath a "large, rich, and magnificent Confederate flag, of the costliest material and most exquisitely embroidered, which was made and presented to Semmes by the ladies of London, while commanding the Alabama." We suppose that the use of this emblem was intended to indicate that Semme's daughter insists upon her rights to secede and to dissolve this union at any time, and to begin life again on an independent basis.—*Phila. Bulletin.*

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

AT Marietta, Ohio, recently, a canary hatched twin birds from a single egg.

THE average price of a wooden Indian in Chicago has been ascertained to be $80.

THERE are said to be over 20,000 alligator skins tanned in this country annually.

A MAN with hair on the roof of his mouth has been discovered at Savannah, Georgia.

HARVARD had 79 spare rooms, but the applicants have been 270. The difference must be made up by outside accommodations.

AT Rockland, Me., on Friday night, Alfred Spear, while drunk, shot his wife twice and then killed himself. His wife may recover.

A FIRE at Rutland, Vermont, on Saturday morning, burned the Opera House, and the stores of Dunn & Crompton, Stanley & Co., and others. Loss, $75,000; partially insured.

A CASE has been before the English Divorce Court for a man suing for a divorce on the ground of his wife's desertion. The Judge said it was the first case of the kind since the establishment of the Court seventeen years ago.

THIS cold spring has so affected the undertakers' business in Baltimore, by keeping back green apples and melons, and like truck, that sheriffs' sales on coffins are too numerous to mention. One auctioneer disposed of a five hundred lot of caskets at a single sale.

THIS week the General Assemblies of the Presbyterian Church North and South will convene, the one at Cleveland, the other at St. Louis. It is not likely that the two bodies will unite this year. Reconstruction ecclesiastical is more backward even than reconstruction political.

THE following appears in a will recorded in the Surrogate's office in Binghamton: "A word of advice to my wife—I think you had better sell everything you do not need for your own use, on a credit. Take good, reliable notes, to be paid when you want it. Be careful how you trust blood relations; they are apt to be blood-suckers."

A VERY sharp debate ensued at the opening of the Missouri Constitutional Convention on the question of the appointment of a chaplain, one of the members declaring that "he knew of no reason himself why a chaplain should be appointed, and he would like to hear any gentleman advance any." After a protracted discussion the consideration of the subject was postponed.

"ISH der some ledder here for me?" inquired a German at the general delivery window of the postoffice, Saturday. "No, none here," was the reply. "Vhell, dot ish queer," he continued, getting his head into the window; "my neighbor gets somedimes dree ledders in one day, und I get none. I bays more daxes as he does, und I never got one ledder yet. How comes dose dings?"

A FAMILY at Mishawaka, Ind., received from some unknown source several complimentary tickets to a circus which was to exhibit on a recent evening. All the inmates of the household went, and when they returned found that their dwelling had been broken into and rifled of everything valuable. It is supposed that the burglars sent the tickets in order to get their victims safely out of the way.

SARAH THOMAS, daughter of a clergyman of Woodhull, Steuben county, N. Y., ran away with John Farris, a married man, of Ithica, who robbed her of her watch, chain and some money. She left him, had him arrested, and he was to have gone to prison on Friday for six months. Her disgrace preyed upon her so, that on Friday night she ended her life by throwing herself in front of a freight car.

A REIGN OF TERROR.

How the Town of Kearney is Run by the James Boys—Fifteen Prominent Citizens Ordered to Leave the Place Before the 11th of June.

The Atchison (Kan.) *Champion* of the 12th says: To the unprejudiced observer it would look as though the old days of lawlessness had returned to Western Missouri. The law seems to have no power to protect the citizens of that part of the State, and especially in Clay county and Kearney, which has the unpleasant notoriety of being the home and habitation of those precious villains, the James boys. The inhabitants of that small and peaceful village stand in perpetual fear of these desperadoes, whose will is law in all things. When they feel so disposed they act in the capacity of mayor, police, judge, jury and executioner.

It is but a short time since we chronicled the fact of the murder of Mr. David Askew, who was shot down in his own dooryard without warning, his only crime being that he was a Union man and a quiet citizen. On the night of the murder, the perpetrators of the deed called at the residence of a neighbor, called him out, told him what they had done, saying, however, that it was the work of the detectives, and gave him permission to bury the body, with the proviso that he would find it to his interest to leave the town as soon as possible. Since that bloody night when the house of the mother, Mrs. Samuels, was fired and that lady wounded, the boys have been especially vindicative to warn all Union men living in the town, and have notified fifteen of the more prominent citizens to leave. One gentleman, whose name we withhold by request, upon being so notified, wished to sell his property there, and finding a buyer, called upon a notary to get the necessary papers made out, at the same time asking the latter to accompany him to where the land lay, about six miles from the place. Although armed, the time being broad daylight, the notary positively refused, saying that he would not go there for all the land in Clay county, because he had in some way incurred the anger of the brothers, and was in fear of being put out of the way. He subsequently left Kearney, and will in all probability never return. A Mr. Green, who at one time was attorney for the detectives, was also forced to flee for his life, and told that if he was ever seen in those parts again, certain death would be the result. The telegraph operator at Kearney, Wheat, has also been unable to retain his position there, and has resigned, his only fault being that he was obnoxious to the James'. Also the conductor who had charge of the caboose which brought the detectives from Kearney, on the Hannibal & St. Joe Railroad, received the customary note of warning, and being a prudent man, obeyed it, and has has not been seen in that vicinity.

THE CARDINAL'S OATH.

One Ordinarily Administered.

There has been some inquiry as to the oath taken by Cardinal McCloskey and what effect it may have on his relations to the Government. We do not know that he took any, or if he did that it has anything to do with his position as a subject of the civil power. However, the following oath has been unearthed as the one ordinarily administered to Cardinals. It was submitted to Parliament, with other papers, by Lord Palmerston in 1850, and was furnished to him by the British Minister at Turin:

I, ———, Cardinal of the Holy Roman Church, do promise and swear that, from this time to my life's end, I will be faithful and obedient unto St. Peter, the Holy Apostolic Roman Church, the Lord, the Pope, and his successors, canonically lawfully elected; and I will give no advice, consent or assistance against the Pontifical Majesty and person; that I will never knowingly and advisedly, to their injury or disgace, make public the counsels entrusted to me by themselves, or by messenger or letters (from them); also, that I will give them my assistance in retaining, defending and recovering the Roman Papacy and the Regalia of Peter all my might, and endeavor, so far as the rights and privileges of my order will allow it, and will defend against all their honor and State; that I will direct and defend, with due form and honor, the legates and nuncios of the Apostolic See in the territories, churches, monasteries and other benefices committed to my keeping; that I will cordially co-operate with them and treat them with honor in their coming, abiding and returning, and that I will resist unto blood all persons whatsoever who shall attempt anything against them; that I will by every way and by every means strive to preserve, augment and advance the rights, honors and privileges, the authority of the Holy Roman Bishop, our Lord the Pope and his before-mentioned successors; and that at whatever time anything shall be decided to their prejudice which is out of my power to hinder, as soon as I shall know that any step of measures have been taken (in the matter) I will make it known to the same, our Lord, or his before-mentioned successors, or to some other person by whose means it may be brought to their knowledge. That I will keep and carry out and cause others to keep and carry out the rules of the Holy Father, the decrees, ordinances, dispensations, reservations, provisions, apostolic mandates and constitutions of the Holy Pontiff Sixtus of happy memory, as to visiting the thresholds of the Apostles at certain prescribed times, according to the tenor of that which I have just read through. That I will seek out and oppose (persecute and fight against; Latin—*omni conatu persecuturum et inpunaturum*) heretics, schismatics, against the same our Lord, the Pope and his before-mentioned successors with every possible effort.

BARBARA FREITCHIE.

Letter From Mr. John G. Whittier.

Mr. John G. Whittier has written a letter to the Boston *Advertiser*, in which, after pointing out some minor inaccuracies in an article it had published setting forth the reasons which led him to believe in the reality of the incidents on which he formed his poem "Barbara Freitchie," he says:

The evidence adduced on the other side is not without weight, and, if by no means conclusive, is entitled to respectful consideration. I have no desire, nor do I feel under obligation, to enter into any controversy on the subject. The facts in the case are before the public, and I have no wish to bias its decision. I have no interest in it apart from the truth. I wrote the ballad in the firm belief of the truth of the incident it describes, and the grounds for that belief seemed to be ample. It may be that my original informant—a lady in whom I have entire confidence—was herself misinformed by her friends. It may be that the cumulative and corroborative evidence I have since received is unreliable. If so, I can only say that I shall regret it, not so much from feeling of personal disappointment as that it involves the loss of the noble ideal of patriotism to which I sought to do honor. As a matter of fact I have no wish to perpetrate in any offensive sense the incidents of the sad fraternal strife, the very names of whose battle-fields I would gladly see erased from our national flag.

"Buried be the dreadful past,
Its common slain be mourned, and let
All memories soften to regret."

It seems to be admitted by those who deny the main incident of the ballad, that the venerable Union woman did not hesitate to make a way with her cane through the Confederate soldiers at her door, applying to them epithets more energetic than polite, and that she had a Union flag in her house. If she did not show it on that occasion so much the worse for Frederick City, and those who have given credit to the story of the heroism of its oldest inhabitant will very naturally sympathize with the indignant inquiry of one of her juvenile admirers: "If Barbara Freitchie didn't shake the flag at the rebels, why didn't somebody else do it?"

JOHN G. WHITTIER.

AMESBURY, 5th month, 11th, 1874.

THE STATE TREASURERSHIP.

Probable Nominee.

E. H. Wilson, Esq., of Indiana, Pa., candidate for the nomination for State Treasurer at the approaching Republican State Convention, is rapidly developing strength, and bids fair to secure the nomination. Mr. Wilson is a native of Allegheny county, having been born in McCandless township, August 15, 1846, (and is a brother of Wesley Wilson, a resident of the East End.) He is a thorough financier, having been engaged in the business of banking for the past thirteen years; a member of the Presbyterian church of Indiana, Pa., and a Christian gentleman of unimpeachable character, and a Republican from principle. The party can do itself no greater honor than to place Mr. Wilson on the ticket with Governor Hartranft, to which his name would add a tower of strength. He has never sought position at the hands of the party, and consequently is not allied to any rings or cliques, but would make a candidate on which all the party could unite, and thus secure the triumphant election of the Republican ticket at the election in November.

PROVIDENCE, Rhode Island, is putting in her claim for a Centennial celebration. The First Baptist meeting, whose graceful spire and comely proportions have long been justly celebrated, will be one hundred years old on the 29th of next month. Its corner-stone was laid June 1, 1774, and the house was opened for worship on May 28, 1775. The Centennial of the latter event will be celebrated with appropriate exercises. A historical discourse will be delivered by the Hon. Samuel G. Arnold, the President of the Charitable Baptist Society, the corporation in which the property is vested.

COUNTERFEITFRS TRACKED.

A Haul of Money Supposed to be "Queer," but Pronounced Good at Banks—Operations in Eastern Pennsylvania.

[From the Reading (Pa.) Eagle of the 11th.]

For some time past Chief Cullen and Detective Lyon have had suspicion that a gang of counterfeiters were operating in Eastern Pennsylvania, and that regular agencies were established in Reading, Harrisburg, Allentown, Pottsville, Phœnixville and Norristown. The above officials have been in correspondence with the officials of the localities named, and have from time to time despatched directions when any clue would turn up. Before the officers departed for Columbus to identify Klutz, Detective Lyon shadowed a suspicious character that he had been watching for the past six months, without success. Last week, however, an opportunity was given him to proceed directly, and he clamped his man and plainly told him upon what charge he should consider himself under arrest. The man at first seemed perfectly astounded and insulted, but the officer plainly told him it was no use; that they had him worked down fine, and that the best thing he could do to get out of the scrape was to "give away" the parties who were identified with him in the business. The man then gave up about one hundred dollars in one dollar United States bills, which the detective says are counterfeit. The man or agent also says that they are counterfeit and can be purchased at the rate of twenty-five dollars per hundred at central headquarters, New York. The bills or notes are quite new, and look as if they had just been taken from the bank. They are of the pink-faced one dollar notes, greenbacks, payable at the Washington treasury. They are printed on a fine quality of silk fibre papers, and in all respects look to be genuine notes. The officers yesterday afternoon showed samples of the money to Messrs. Muhlenberg, McKnight and Boas, of the Farmers', Union and First National banks, and the detective says that those gentlemen pronounced the bills genuine at first sight, having received them for good without asking any questions. At one bank one of the cashiers pronounced the notes counterfeit.

A BLIND MAN'S SUIT.

Ten Thousand Dollars Damages Claimed.

A suit has been brought by Edward P. Doyle against the Eye and Ear Infirmary of New York, for $10,000 damages, for the loss of his eyesight, which he claims is directly chargeable to the carelessness of the doctors of the infirmary. A motion was made to dismiss the complaint on behalf of the Eye and Ear Infirmary, on the ground that it is a free institution, but the Judge refused to grant this motion, holding that the same principle was involved as in that of the giving of a free pass by a railroad company, in which the courts have decided that in case of the acceptor of a free pass receiving injuries, the company is responsible. Young Doyle, who had been cured at the infirmary, in 1871, of an affection of the right eye, went there again in 1872, when the eye again troubled him. Dr. Noyes, who had previously cured him, began the treatment, which was then taken up by Dr. Derby. Doyle was told he would be cured in two or three weeks. Lotions were applied either with a brush or a glass tube, but three brushes, Doyle says, being used for forty or fifty patients. After about twenty days' treatment the eye was nearly well, when, on the 12th of February, upon the application of the brush, the eye smarted intensely, and in a short time was greatly inflamed, with an accompanying dizziness and pain in the head. In less than a week he was totally blind. The testimony given by physicians indicating that a contagious disease had been communicated by a brush that had been used on another person. It appeared that the four brushes used upon the great number of patients treated daily were washed at the close of the day in strong solutions and then used over again.

Pittsburgh Bank for Savings.
No. 61 Fourth Ave., Pittsburgh.
CHARTERED IN 1866.
Assets January 1, 1873, - - - $778,261.56
OPEN DAILY from 9 to 4 o'clock, and SATURDAY EVENING, from May 1st to November 1st, from 7 to 9 o'clock, and from November 1st to May 1st, 6 to 8 o'clock. Interest paid at the rate of 6 per cent., computed from the 1st and 15th of each month, and if not withdrawn, compounds semi-annually, in January and July. Books of By-Laws, &c., furnished at the office.
Board of Managers—George A. Berry, President; John Scott, Jas. Park, Jr., Vice Presidents; D. E. McKinley, Secretary and Treasurer.
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AUCTION SALES.
BY A. J. PENTECOST.
Great Auction Sale
OF $10,000 WORTH OF
HARDWARE
TO THE TRADE.
The large and well selected stock of ALSTON & MOWRY, bought for cash within the year, to be closed out at their store, No. 124 Federal street, Allegheny city, Pa., commencing
MONDAY, MAY 10th,
AT 10 A. M.,
And continuing each day, at the same hour, until the entire stock is closed out. The following is only a partial list.
DEALERS
Send for Catalogue.
2,000 lbs Tool Steel, assorted.
100 kegs Nails, assorted sizes.
12 dozen Tang and Socket Hoes, assorted.
7 dozen Potato Hooks, assorted.
20 dozen Manure and Hay Forks, assorted.
5 dozen Steel Rakes, assorted.
20 dozen Manure and Shovel Handles.
22 dozen Pick, Hatchet, Sledge Hammer and Adze Handles.
2 dozen Buck Saw Frames.
6 Coke Forks.
6 Tanners' Forks.
15 dozen Augers, assorted from ¾ to 2 inches.
10 dozen Socket Framing Chisels, from ¾ to 2 inches.
6 sets Socket Turners' Chisels, complete.
21 dozen Snaths, assorted.
1 barrel Curry Combs.
500 feet Sliding Door Rail.
500 feet Barn Door Rail.
25 dozen Hand Hay Rakes.
25 dozen Files, assorted.
7 kegs Burden Horseshoes.
50 dozen assorted Cast Butts.
25 dozen assorted Japanned Acorn Butts.
50 dozen assorted Enameled Acorn Butts.
1 Peter Wright Wrought Iron Anvil.
6 Boring Machines.
6 Farmer Bells.
12 dozen Plow Shears, assorted.
15 boxes Glass.
1 Marshall & Bro. Elevator.
1 Fairbanks Scales, drawing 2,500 lbs.
1 Babbitt Foot Lathe.
1 Store Truck.
1 German Silver Plated Show Case.
Large assortment of Bench and Molding Planes.
Large lot Grain Scoop Shovels.
Large lot Extension and Step Ladders.
Large lot Wagon Woodwork.
Lot Boys' Tool Chests.
Large lot of Disston and Spear & Jackson Hand-Saws.
Large lot of Lightning Cross-cut Saws.
Large lot of Grain and Grass Scythes, assorted.
Large lot of Scythe Stones.
Large lot of Straps and T Hinges.
Large lot Wm Mann's Double and Single Bit Axes.
Lot John W. Fry Axes.
Lot Red Jacket Axes.
Lot Churns.
Counters, Shelving and Awning.
TERMS—All bills less than $100, cash; all bills over $100, 90 days, with approved security.
A. J. PENTECOST, Auctioneer.
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Administrator's Sale
The Monongahela Foundry,
MACHINE & MILL FURNISHING SHOPS
Belonging to the Estate of Wm. J. Anderson, deceased, situate No. 30 Water street, Pittsburgh.
On Thursday, 20th Day of May, 1875.
At 11 o'clock A. M., on the Premises, the GOOD WILL, LEASE, FIXTURES and MACHINERY and PATTERNS of this establishment will be sold at Public Sale.
This Machinery is constructed in the most improved and scientific manner, and consists of Boring and Turning Lathes, having a capacity for doing work of from one to eighteen feet in diameter and almost any length. Large and small Planing Machines, Shaping and Pulley Turning Lathes, Drilling and Screw-Cutting Machines, &c., &c.
A most extensive variety of Patterns, consisting of almost every proportion of Bevel-Spar and Mitre Wheels, Flanges, Gudgeons, Xangers and Coupling, and the finest line of Iron Pulley Patterns, from four inches to forty-eight inches in diameter. Core-boxes and other fixtures for making pulleys of almost any diameter and width of face. A full and complete outfit of Flasks (iron and wood), Rings, Core-boards, &c., for carrying on a successful foundry.
One of the best constructed Core Ovens in the State.
The business was established in 1848, and has special facilities for many kinds of work, particularly Mill furnishing. Lease has eleven years to run from July 1, 1875.
TERMS OF SALE—One-third cash, balance in two equal payments, with interest, at nine and eighteen months, upon approved notes, secured by tight mortgage upon the property sold.
Apply to MALCOLM HAY, Administrator, 152 Fourth avenue.
Will also be sold at the same time and place, One Book-Case, Bedstead and other articles of Furniture. Also, valuable CHRONOMETER WATCH in the very best order and condition. my18:r86

DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS.
SATURDAY, May 15th,
AT
WM. SEMPLE'S
NOS. 165, 167 AND 169
FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.
NEW SPRING AND SUMMER
Dress Goods
All Desirable Materials, Styles and Colors, at
EXCEEDINGLY LOW PRICES.
Special Bargains—Black Alpacas at 25c.
Special Bargains—Black Alpacas at 31 and 37½c.
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Special Bargains—Black Alpacas at 62½ and 75c.
The above line of Black Mohair Alpacas is unsurpassed in this country for good value.
Extra good bargains in Black Cashmeres at 62½, 75, 80, 90c and $1.
Black Hernanis & Grenadines,
Decided Bargains in all Qualities.
LARGE ARRIVALS THIS WEEK OF
New Invisible Plaid Dress Goods.
New Mohairs, Poplins, and Pongees.
New Serges, Diagonals and Cashmeres.
New Dress Linens.
New Fine Dress Goods, great variety.
New Mourning Dress Goods.
All the popular bargains in
DRESS GOODS,
From 10c to 25c per yard.
BLACK AND COLORED
DRESS SILKS.
Full supply of the many extraordinary bargains.
All qualities Black Dress Silks from $1 to $4.
Plain Colored Dress Silks, much under value.
Striped Dress Silks, &c.
Ladies' Ready-Made Suits—latest styles—made in best manner.
New Cashmere Jackets and Sacques.
New Lace Sacques and Jackets.
Ladies' Linen and White Suits.

STRICTLY BUT ONE

SATURDAY, May 8.
NEW GOODS
OPENED TO-DAY,
AT
JOS. HORNE & CO.'S,
RETAIL.
Several very choice novelties in
Silk and Lace Costumes.
Silk and Velvet Costumes.
Cashmere and Embroidered Net Cul-resse and Tablier.
Cashmere and Embroidered Net Sleeveless Jackets.
Satin Stripe and Barred Grenadine.
Black and White Check Silks.
Fine Colored Embroidered Handkerchiefs.
Fine Cambric Revered Handkerchiefs.
One and Three Button KID GLOVES, in the New Shades of Slate, Mode Ecru and Brown.
Silk Lace Mitts.
Fine Lisle Gloves.
197 and 199
PENN AVE.

ENGINES, BOILERS, &c.
O'Hara Boiler Works
N. SNYDER & CO.,
MANUFACTURERS OF
Steam Boilers,
OIL TANKS,
Stills, Agitators, Salt Pans, Gasometers, Settling Pans,
PRISON DOORS, CHIMNEYS, BRICHEN FIRE BEDS, &c.
Cor. Second Av. and Liberty St.,
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Repairing done promptly. Orders sent to the above address will be promptly attended to.

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MANUFACTURERS OF
Tubular, Double-flued Tubular, Fire Box and Cylinder Steam Boilers.
Oil Stills and Oil Tanks,
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OFFICE AND WAREHOUSE:
Corner Second, Third, Short and Liberty Streets,
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Waring Bros.,
(Successors to WARING & KING)
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IN
Petroleum and its Products,
49 Fifth Avenue.
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THOS. WIGHTMAN & CO.,
43 Wood St., opposite St. Charles Hotel,
WINDOW GLASS,
Of all sizes, cut to order.
VIALS, BOTTLES AND DEMIJOHNS.
FRUIT JARS,
Of old and Reliable Patterns.
Prices to suit times. Quality and style equal to any made in the country. ap8:p87

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Whitmore, Wolff, Lane & Co.,
Having transferred that portion of their stock saved from the fire, to No. 54 WOOD STREET,
Two Doors Above their Former Place of Business,
INVITE THOSE IN WANT OF
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To call without delay and avail themselves of the bargains they are offering.

LOUIS VERHAEGEN, MONUMENTAL SCULPTOR, Modeler and Designer in Monuments, Tombs, Altars, Figures, Busts, Statues, executed in all kinds of Stone and Bronzes. Studio at the entrance of Woodlawn Cemetery, New York. Refer to Hon. Thos. M. Howe, Josiah King, Alexander Bradley and others of his patrons in Pittsburgh. mh24:KWF

DRY GOODS, TRIMMINGS.
SATURDAY, May 15th,
AT
WM. SEMPLE'S
NOS. 165, 167 AND 169
FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.
EXTRA GOOD BARGAINS
IN
HOUSEKEEPING DRY GOODS
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
Pillow Case and Sheeting Muslins.
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Bleached and Unbleached Muslins.
White and Colored Table Linens.
Linen Napkins, Towels and Towelings.
Feather and Straw Bed Tickings.
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Latest Styles opened daily in
Calicos, Chintzes and Percales
LINEN SHIRT BOSOMS.
Manufactured in our own building. Best material, well made, and offered at much below usual prices.
Goods for Men and Boys' Wear.
LOWEST PRICES.
Medium and Fine Cloths and Cassimeres.
Tweeds and Jeans at unusually low prices.
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MEN, YOUTHS' AND BOYS'
READY MADE CLOTHING,
Entire New Stocks, as this is a new department opened within the last few days.
Carpets,
Oil Cloths,
Mattings.
Druggets, Rugs, Mats, &c.
Window Blinds and Fixtures.
Lace Curtains and Cornices.
Spring Bed Bottoms, Mattresses, Pillows, &c.

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OF THE
MERCANTILE INSURANCE CO.
OF CHICAGO, ILL.
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Losses promptly adjusted and paid.

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OFFICIAL—PITTSBURGH.

PITTSBURGH APPEALS—APPEALS from City Assessments for 1875 will be received at the office of the City Assessor up UNTIL MAY 15TH, 1875. By order of the COMMITTEE ON APPEALS FROM CITY ASSESSMENTS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the grading of Fifth avenue, from Jumonville street to Penn avenue, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees. THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
PITTSBURGH, May 1, 1875. may5

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the assessments made by the Viewers on the opening of Railroad street, from Virginia avenue to Mason street, are now in my hands for collection, and if not paid within thirty days of the date hereof, liens will be filed against the property assessed for the unpaid assessments, with interest, cost and fees. THOS. S. BIGELOW, City Attorney.
PITTSBURGH, April 27, 1875. ap29

OFFICE OF THE CITY TREASURER,
PITTSBURGH, April 29, 1875.
Notice is Hereby Given
to all owners of unlicensed Vehicles that they will on the SECOND MONDAY OF MAY, be subject to a penalty
Double the Amount of the License,
To be recovered before the Mayor or any Alderman of the city. C. L. MAGEE, City Treasurer.
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CITY ENGINEER'S OFFICE,
MUNICIPAL HALL, PITTSBURGH, May 11, 1875.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Viewers' Reports on the construction of Try, Watson and Shingiss street sewer from P. W. & B. Railroad to connect with sewer on Shingiss street, has been approved by Councils, which action will be final unless an appeal is filed in the Court of Quarter Sessions within ten (10) days from date.
m11 A. DEMPSTER, City Engineer.

OFFICIAL—ALLEGHENY.

OFFICE OF CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, May 7, 1875.
NOTICE.—THE ASSESSMENT FOR the grading, paving and curbing of the 16 FEET ALLEY, east of Chartiers street from Locust street to Pennsylvania avenue, is now ready for examination and can be seen at this office, until TUESDAY, May 18th, 1875, when it will be placed in the hands of the City Controller to serve notices for the payment of the same.
r36 CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.

LEGAL.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—LETTERS of Administration c. t. a., upon the Estate of WILLIAM WADE, late of the City of Allegheny, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned all persons indebted to said estate will make payment, and all persons having claims against the same will make known and present the same, duly probated, to
MALCOLM HAY, Administrator,
ap5:p36 152 Fourth avenue, Pittsburgh.

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JAS. LOUGHRIDGE,
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Just received, a full line of CLOTHS and CASSIMERES, for Spring and Summer Wear.
LOWEST PRICES.

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J. P. SMITH, SON & CO.,
189 Liberty street, near Sixth.

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SATURDAY, May 15th,
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FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.
NEW SUMMER STYLES
IN
MILLINERY & FANCY GOODS
Large arrivals this week.
New Hats and Bonnets, latest shapes.
Trimmed Hats and Bonnets.
Children and Infants' Hats and Bonnets.
New French Flowers, Roses, &c.
New Ribbons, all colors and widths.
New Silk Hat and Bonnet Scarfs.
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Embroideries, Laces, Trimmings, &c.
Sun Umbrellas and Parasols.
Large stock opened this week, all sizes, styles and qualities, offered at the
LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.
Ladies', Misses' and Children's
Muslin Undergarments,
Assortment unusually complete. Everything desirable both in style, quality and size.
Ladies', Misses and Children's
Spring and Summer
STOCKINGS, GLOVES, &C.
Fine White Dress Muslins.
Infants' Dresses, Robes, &c.
Children's White Pique Suits.
Children's Summer Sacqueings.
Children and Infants' Aprons, Bibs, &c.
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PROPOSALS.

FOR SALE.
308,000 ACRES
VALUABLE LANDS
In Kansas.

By the direction of the Honorable Secretary of the Interior, the undersigned will receive sealed bids for the purchase of any or all of the unsold lands west of the Neosho River, along the southern line of the State of Kansas embraced within what is generally known as the "CHEROKEE STRIP."

These lands are offered for sale in compliance with the provisions of an act of Congress approved May 11, 1872, [U. S. Statutes at Large, vol. xvii, pp. 98 and 99.]

They will be sold to the highest bidder for cash, in quantities not exceeding one hundred and sixty acres, and not less than two dollars per acre for all of said lands lying east of the Arkansas river, and one dollar and fifty cents per acre for such lands as lie west of said river.

Printed lists, describing the lands hereby offered for sale by their proper legal subdivisions and indicating the mimimun price at which each tract is held, will be sent by mail to the address of any person making application therefor to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, or to the Register and Receiver of the local offices at Wichita and Independence, Kansas.

Persons offering to purchase may bid for as many tracts as they may desire, but each bid must be separately made and sealed, and must be for not more than one hundred and sixty acres, (and conform to the legal subdivions embraced in the list.)

Bids must be accompanied by ten per cent. of the amount bid, as a guarantee of the good faith of the bidder, which sum, in case the land is awarded and the balance not paid, will be forfeited. Should any bid be rejected, the sum deposited will be returned to the proper party.

Parties whose bids are accepted will be notified of such acceptance as soon after the opening of the bids as practicable, and if within forty days after such notice has been duly mailed payment in full be not made to the Commissioner of the General Land Office of the amount bid, the land upon which such bid was made will be again subject to sale.

The ten per cent. deposit required to accompany bids may be remitted in Post Office orders, certificates of deposit, certified checks on some Government depository payable to the order of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, or in currency.

The right to reject any and all bids is expressly reserved.

All bids must be sealed and addressed to the "COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, WASHINGTON, D. C.," and indorsed "BIDS FOR CHEROKEE STRIP LANDS."

Bids will be received as above invited until 12 o'clock noon of the second day of August, 1875, after which they will be duly opened and acted upon.

S. S. BURDETT,
Commissioner of the General Land Office.
Washington, D. C., April 15, 1875.

TO CONTRACTORS.

SEALED PROPOSALS
Will be received at the office of the City Engineer, until MAY 15TH, 1875, for
Masonry and Superstructure of Bridge
Over Railroad street, on Hiland avenue, to correspond with Pennsylvania Railroad Bridge on same avenue.
Specifications can be seen at City Engineer's Office after 10th inst.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject or accept the whole or any portion of any bid, and contractors will bid accordingly. Bonds should in all cases accompany the bids.
W. H. DENNISTON,
S. F. STEWART,
JOHN C. BEECHER,
LEMUEL SPAHR,
JNO. LIGGETT,
my5:q95 Commissioners

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS,
HARRISBURG, May 5, 1875.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED until 2 o'clock, P. M. of TUESDAY, May 18, 1875, for the erection of an extension to the building known as the Office of the Land Department, in the city of Harrisburg, in accordance with plans and specifications, which can be examined in the office of L. M. SIMON, Harrisburg, Pa. All bids must be accompanied with a bond of the applicant, with two sufficient sureties, in the sum of $10,000, conditioned that if the applicant shall be successful, and the contract shall be awarded to him, he will proceed to furnish the security required by law and take upon himself the burden and execution of said contract.
Proposals will be endorsed "Proposals for the erection of an extension to the building known as the office of the Land Department in the city of Harrisburg," and addressed to A. Wilson Norris, Secretary of the Board, Harrisburg, Pa., who will, upon application, furnish the form of bond, which must in all cases accompany the proposals.
The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids if they deem it best.
J. F. HARTRANFT,
R. W. MACKEY,
JUSTICE F. TEMPLE,
WM. McCANDLESS,
r54 Commissioners.

OFFICE OF THE CITY ENGINEER,
CITY OF ALLEGHENY, May 15, 1875.
TO SEWER CONTRACTORS.—THE Sewerage Commission of the City of Allegheny are prepared to receive bids for about 930 feet of 30 inch brick sewer and 408 feet of 18 inch pipe sewer on Fayette street from Beaver avenue to Fulton street, with its appurtenances, inlets, manholes, &c.
Drawings and specifications can be seen and full information given at this office.
Bids must be indorsed "Sewer Proposals," and delivered at or before 3 o'clock P. M., THURSDAY, May 20, 1875.
Forms of proposals, on which forms alone bids will be entertained, will be furnished at this office.
The Commission reserve the right to reject any or all bids.
By order of the Commission.
CHAS. DAVIS, City Engineer.
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OFFICE OF CONTROLLER
CITY OF PITTSBURGH, May 8, 1875.
SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office until 12 M., TUESDAY, May 18, 1875, for furnishing two horses and driver for and keeping of "Black Maria." The Committee on Police reserve the right to accept or reject any or all bids should they deem it for the best interest of the city.
R. M. SNODGRASS, Controller.

QUICKLY CURED.
ALL FORMS of Private and Chronic Diseases, at the Girard Medical Dispensary, No. 83 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. The proprietors are regular graduates of medicine and surgery, as diploma at office will show, are longer engaged and the most successful, as their extensive city practice will prove. Age, with experience, can be relied on.
NO CURE, NO PAY.
Syphilis, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Orchitis, Hernia, all Urinary Diseases and syphilitic and Mercurial affections of the Throat, Skin or Bones, are cured in the Shortest possible time that will insure permanent relief. Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness and Impotency, as the result of self-abuse in youth, or excess in maturer years, and which produces some of the following effects: As emissions, blotches, debility, dizziness, nervousness, dimness of sight, coughs, indigestion, constipation, despondency, confusion of ideas, aversion to society, loss of memory and sexual power, and which unfits the victims for business or marriage, are thoroughly and permanently cured. A medical circular relating to Private Diseases sent in sealed envelope for one stamp. All communications confidential. Address
GIRARD MEDICAL DISPENSARY,
No. 83 Sixth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. All medicines are prepared by the proprietors where nothing but the best of drugs are used. This enables us to cure the most difficult cases after all others have failed. Office Hours from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. Sundays from 5 P. M. to 7 P. M. 1y14-e

WANTED Agents for the best selling Prize Packages in the world. Single package, with elegant prize, post-paid, 25 cents. For other novelties send stamp. Address F. P. GLUCK, New Bedford, Mass. my11:t40-d&s

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FEDERAL ST., ALLEGHENY.
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For Ladies, Misses, Children, Gents and Boys' Wear.
Large supplies of New Goods opened this week, including Burt's Celebrated
FINE SHOES,
FOR LADIES AND MISSES.
FOR THE FINE WEATHER.
Infants' Carriages, all prices.
Velocipedes, Perambulators, &c.
Hobby Horses, Wagons,
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Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
AT OUR LOWEST PRICES.
Best Fitting White Dress Shirts.
Chintz, Percale and Calico Shirts.
Spring and Summer Underwear.
Handkerchiefs, Collars, Cuffs, &c.
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Notions, Sewings, &c.
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Many Other Useful Articles
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COAL, COKE AND LIME.
THE SUPERIOR
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DAILY GAZETTE.

FINANCIAL.

Condition of the Markets at Home and Abroad.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, MONDAY, May 17, 1875.

Saturday continued the prevailing quiet. There was the usual extra counter business at the banks that comes on Saturday, but nothing to indicate any unusual interest, or business. The same fact is true of monetary operations generally. There is more money loaned than there was a time back, owing to the slowness of outside collections, and the consequent demand for money to run the mills.

Country orders for currency are not large, but are gradually increasing from all parts of the country, showing an increasing tendency on the part of the country holders of products to send them to market.

Following the recent negotiation of a loan in New York for the city of Chicago, we note as another evidence of the plethora of money in the East the negotiation of $1,500,000 for the city of Cincinnati on her bonds bearing 7 3-10 per cent. currency. This is the last installment of the total of $10,000,000 for which amount Cincinnati loaned its credit in aid of the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, the Southern terminus of which is to be at Chattanooga, Tennessee, a distance of 340 miles. The $1,500,000 above referred to was sold at 103 and accrued interest, this price being 1 per cent. higher than was obtained for the amounts previously sold. The final completion of this large loan (all negotiated within the last four months) is of general importance in several respects. The expenditure of the $10,000,000 will furnish labor for a great number of men who are now idle, and in this respect will help restore activity to trade. Another metropolitan enterprise which will have an important effect in the same direction, is the projected one of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad for improvements on a colossal scale on the grounds of the company at Philadelphia. The scheme includes the building of immense dry-docks, a ship-building yard and other cognate improvements. This latter enterprise has, however, not been fully inaugurated yet, as it awaits the consent of the Philadelphia Common Council to the vacation of certain streets—but it is probable that all obstacles will be overcome, and that the expenditure of several millions of dollars in Philadelphia will aid the general revival of industry in the same way as the $10,000,000 just borrowed by the city of Cincinnati. It is this class of improvements and this kind of aid to which the business public must look for the restoration of confidence. There never was a time in the history of this country when great works of this kind could be prosecuted under such favorable circumstances as now, because labor and materials are extremely cheap. But the most important effect would be the revival of industry, and consquently the commercial confidence, which would certainly result by the adoption of such a system of aiding public works, by the loan of city credit, and, in the case of large works, of the credit of the General Government. If all other cities where large works are needed or where additional railroad, harbor, or canal facilities can be acquired will follow the example of Cincinnati and of the General Government, and will aid such works as the Northern Pacific Railroad, confidence will soon be restored, the demand for all sorts of manufactured goods will increase, the profits of trade increase, rates of interest and the rates of wages will advance, and prices of real estate will rise.

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U. S. 6's, 1881, coup	124	1868—coupons	123⅝
5-20's 1862	116⅜	10-40's	
" 1864	118	Currency 6's	
" 1865	120⅜	New 5 per cents	116⅛
" 1865 new	121⅝	10-40's—coupons	117⅜

RAILWAYS.

New York Central	105⅞	Ohio & Mississippi	28⅜
Erie	26½	Union Pacific	76
I. C.	104	Toledo & Wabash	
C. C. & I. C.	5	Harlem	134
St. Paul	36	Adams Express	103⅞
Do. Pref.	57⅜	American Express	64⅞
Michigan Southern	68⅜	U. S. Express	51⅝
Do. Central	71	Wells Fargo & Co. Ex	89
North Western Com	40⅜	Quicksilver	13
Do. Pref	53⅜	Fort Wayne	
Rock Island	104	Hannibal & St. Jos	25
Cleve. & Pitts	92½	Panama	141
Pacific Mail	39⅜	Iron Mountain	22
Western Union Tel.	77⅜		

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U Cos. of N. J. (A)	13	A. V. R. R. 7-30 (B)	97
Oil Creek (S)	10	P. C. & St. L. 7's	
Lehigh Valley (B)	61⅜		

NEW YORK, May 15, 1875.

Money closed easy at 2a2½ per cent. on call. Foreign exchange was heavy and lower, with quotations more or less nominal at 486a486½ for bankers' sixty days sterling and 489a489½ for demand. 4a4½ for prime mercantile paper, with the next grade 4½ to 6 per cent. The banks are buyers of paper, and the supply is small. Gold opened at 116, fell off to 115⅞, advanced to 116⅛, and closed at 115⅞. The rates paid for borrowing were 2, 1, 2½ and 1½ per cent. per annum, and 1-64 per cent. per diem. Loans were also made flat and at 2 per cent. for carrying. The clearings were $79,000,000. The Assistant Treasurer disbursed to-day $366,000, and received for customs $194,000. Governments are active and steady. State bonds are quiet and nominal. Railroad mortgages were dull and steady in late afternoon dealings.

At the opening of business the stock market for the general list was barely steady, and weak for Erie and Union Pacific, which were down ¼ and ½ per cent. respectively. As the morning advanced the whole market became firm and prices advanced ⅛a1½ per cent., but later became irregular, with Union Pacific and Western Union strong features, and Lake Shore the weak stock. In the afternoon the whole market was strong on a report that the Panama people were about to back down in the position they had taken with reference to the Pacific Mail, but at the close stocks were weak and the lowest prices of the day in some cases were made in the last sales. Lake Shore declined to 68, Erie to 26⅛, Pacific Mail to 39⅜, Northwest to 40⅜, St. Paul to 36, Ohios to 25⅜, and Western Union to 77⅜. Union Pacific reacted from 77 to 75⅞, and closed at 76⅛. Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph advanced to 26⅛. Delaware, Lackawanna & Western declined to 119⅛, and Michigan Central to 71. The transactions aggregated 251,000 shares, of which 60,000 were Erie, 57,800 Lake Shore, 11,000 Northwestern, 41,000 Pacific Mail, 26,600 Western Union, and 85,000 Union Pacific.

The following is the bank statement:

Loans, increase	$1,796,000
Specie, increase	264,500
Legal tenders, increase	1,338,800
Deposits, increase	4,048,000
Circulation, increase	124,600
Reserve, increase	591,300

Governments.—U. S. Coupons of '81 124; 5-20s of '62, 116⅛; do of '64, 117⅛; do of '65, 120; do new, 121⅞; do of '67, 123⅛; do of '68, 123⅛; new 5s, 116; 10-40s, 117⅛; currency 6s, 124.

State Bonds.—Missouri 6s, 102; Tennessee, old, 50⅛; do new, 50; Virginia, new 34; do old, 34; North Carolina, old, 21; do new, 11.

Stocks.—Canton, 63; Western Union Telegraph Company, 77⅛; Quicksilver, 13⅛; Adams Express, 103; Wells & Fargo, 89; American Express, 64; United States Express, 51⅛; Pacific Mail, 39⅜; New York Central, 105⅞; Erie, 26⅛; Erie, preferred, 39; Harlem, 135; Harlem, preferred, 134; Michigan Central, 70⅞; Pittsburgh, 92⅛; North Western, common, 40⅞; preferred, 53⅞; Rock Island, —; New Jersey Central, 110; St. Paul, 36; St. Paul, preferred, 57⅛; Wabash, 11⅛; do preferred, 15; Fort Wayne, 99⅛; Terre Haute, 5; Terre Haute, preferred, 24; Chicago & Alton, 105; Chicago & Alton, preferred, 110; Ohio & Mississippi, 25⅛; Cleveland, Columbus & Cincinnati, 56; Burlington & Quincy, 118; Lake Shore, 68; Panama, 5; Illinois Central, 104; Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, 24⅛; Union Pacific, 76; Central Pacific, 103; Union, 100⅞; Delaware & Lackawanna, 119⅛.

LONDON, May 15—5 P. M.—Consols: Money, 94⅛a94⅜; account, 94⅛a94⅜; 5-20's '65, 106⅛; do '67, 109⅛; 10-40's, 104; new 5's, 102⅛; New York Central, 94; Erie, 24⅛ a25; do preferred, 36.

PARIS, May 15.—Rentes 64f 50c.

FRANKFORT, May 15.—U. S. 5-20's '62, 99.

COMMERCIAL.

Latest Advices Concerning Money and Stock Matters.

DAILY REPORT OF PITTSBURGH MARKETS.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, May 15, 1875.

The general merchandise markets present no new characteristics worthy of special comment; business continues quiet, the inquiry for all the leading staples is confined mainly to supplying immediate wants, while as regards values, there have been no important changes recently.

APPLE BUTTER—50@55c ℔ gal.

APPLES—The arrivals recently have been comparatively light, but the supply is fully equal to the demand, and prices remain unchanged: $2.50@3.50 per bbl. for fair to choice.

BEANS—Quotable in a round lot way, at $1.80 for mediums and $1.90 for navies.

BUTTER—The market continues offish, but the recent cool weather has been in favor of holders; otherwise prices could not have been sustained; quotable at 25@28c for good to choice roll, and 28@30 for prime to choice dairy. Old stock is in good supply and very dull.

CHEESE—Prime old New York Goshen, of which the stock is very much reduced; 16½@17. Prime new Ohio Factory, 14@14½.

DRIED FRUIT—Peaches, 10@10½c for halves; Apples, 7@8. Blackberries, 9@10.

EGGS—The receipts continue liberal and with the supply accumulating, the market is weaker and holders are more disposed to realize; quotable at 15@16c.

FLOUR—Our dispatches, both from Chicago and New York, report those markets easier, and the feeling here is apparently not as strong as it was a couple of weeks since; prices, however, remain unchanged. Spring wheat flours, $6.00 to $6.25 for Wisconsins and $6.25@6.50 for Minnesotas; winters, $6.25@6.50 for red and $6.75@7 for amber and white. Rye flour, $6@6.25.

GROCERIES—Sugars have eased up considerably within the past day or two, and refined goods are lower. Coffee continues dull and drooping. Stock in first hands in New York May 13, 1875, 55,707 bags; at Baltimore, 4,842, and at Galveston, 2,500 bags. Afloat and loading for New York, 14,800 bags; other ports in the United States, 24,100 bags. Total, 38,900. Total stock and supplies for all ports of the United States, 102,029 bags. Messrs. Wright & Co.'s telegram dated Rio de Janeiro, May 12, 1875—Sales for the United States since 4th inst, none; shipments to United States, Atlantic ports, 6,000 bags; loading, 64,000 bags; stock at date, 156,000 bags; average daily receipts, 9,600 bags; price, 8,600; exchange, 27d.

SUGARS.

Crushed	11⅜	Standard B	10⅜
Granulated	11⅜	Ex C Standard	10⅜
Powdered	11⅜	Demarara	9⅝@10⅜
Standard A	10⅝	Porte Rico	8⅝@9⅝
N. O. Sugar	8⅝@9⅛		

COFFEE.

Rio Good	20 @21	Roasted loose	26⅛
Rio Prime	22 @23	R. Java, lb pkgs	40
Rio Fancy	24 @25	R. Java loose	39⅜
R. Rio, lb pkgs	27		

RICE.

Rangoon ℔ ℔	7 @7⅜	Patna ℔ ℔	7⅜@8
Carolina ℔ ℔	8⅛@8⅜		

MOLASSES.

Porto Rico	50@55	New Orleans	75@80
Demarara	50@55		

GRAIN—The receipts and offerings of Wheat continue very meagre, and with some inquiry, the market may be quoted steady at $1.32@1.35 for Penna. and Ohio red, and 3@5c additional for amber and white, an advance of 30c per bushel as compared with the lowest point, prior to the freeze which injured the growing crop. The Oat market continues firm, with a very limited supply and light receipts, and the recent advance is fully maintained; mixed, 71@72; white, 73@74. It is probable that these extreme prices will curtail the consumption, but there appears to be a general scarcity, hence there is not much prospect of an early decline. Corn, both ear and shelled, is decidedly easier, the offerings have been unusually large within the past few days, and as compared with the early part of the week, prices are lower; we now quote at 86@88, as to quality. Rye is quiet and nominal at $1.15@1.20. Nothing doing in Barley.

HAY—The market for baled is gaining strength and we advance our quotations on timothy to $22@24 for fair to choice. Loose sold from country wagons, in Allegheny, yesterday, at $27@35, an advance, the offerings having been small.

MAPLE SYRUP—$1@1.10 for gallon jugs. Maple Sugar, 13@14c ℔ ℔.

POTATOES—The market continues slow, if anything, weaker, but unchanged, sales of Early Rose and Peerless at 90@95c per bushel on track, and prime Peach Blows at $1.

PROVISIONS—We can report a steady demand, especially for Lard and sugar cured meats; trade in Mess Pork has been gradually falling of in this market for several years past. No change to report in prices.

Hams—Extra S. C. ℔ ℔	14	Lard-Prime Leaf in tierces ℔ ℔	16
Shoulders, Ex S. C.	11	Do., half barrels	16⅛
B'fast Bacon, S. C.	14	Lard-Ref. for summer use in tierces	
Dried Beef, Ex. Sugar Cured, old	15⅛	Do., in ⅛ bbls	
Beef Tongues Sugar Cured, ℔ doz.	$6 50	Do., in bk'ts	
Bacon Shoulders	10	Do., 3 ℔ caddies	16⅛
Clear Rib Sides	13⅜	Do., 5 ℔ do	16
Clear Sides	14	Do., 3 ℔ pails	16
Mess Pork, ℔ bbl	$23.00	Do., 5 ℔ do	16
Miner's Lard Oil		Do., 10 ℔ do	15
		Ham Sausage	

POULTRY—Market bare of dressed. Live Chickens, by the coop, 65@75c ℔ pair.

RAGS—Quiet and unchanged; regular sales at 2⅛@3 cts for good mixed. woolen ½c ℔ ℔.

SWEET CORN—5@6c ℔ ℔.

SEEDS—Clover, $7.75@8 for medium, and $8.75@9 for mammoth. Timothy Seed, $2 75@3.

TALLOW—Steady at 7½ to 8c for prime country, and 8½ to 8⅞ for city rendered.

PITTSBURGH LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, May 15, 1875.

PITTSBURGH CENTRAL STOCK YARDS.

ARRIVALS.

Following were the arrivals of live stock at these yards for the week, and, to afford a comparison, we append those of last week also:

	This week.	Last week.
Cattle	250 cars.	379 cars.
Hogs	172	237
Sheep	73	61

FREIGHTS.

No change in rates from this point eastward, and so far as we know, none is contemplated; 30 cent per cwt. to New York, and 17½ to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

CATTLE.

Of the 250 cars reported for the week, all but 64 cars were through consignments; sales for the week 1,089 head; last week, 1,056. There were 22 cars bought for shipment to Philadelphia, 10 cars to New York and 1 car to Baltimore; the balance were taken by country dealers and butchers—there were but two cars in the yards to-day unsold.

There has been a fair run of through cattle this week, but of local stock the supply was light, unusually so, and holders, in consequence, were enabled to put up prices from 20 to 25 cents per cwt. although the market was very sluggish at the advance, and the volume of business comparatively light. The attendance of buyers was small, especially from the regular eastern markets, and with unfavorable reports all week, especially from New York, shippers took hold sparingly and business was slow and unsatisfactory. The purchases for Philadelphia did not exceed 20 to 25 cars, New York took about a dozen carloads, while Baltimore, so far as we could learn, took but a single carload. The Philadelphia buyers were apprehensive that there would be a good many run into that market from Lancaster and other adjoining counties in the eastern part of the State, which together with the advance, caused them to take hold very sparingly; cattle from the eastern part of the state can be placed in that market considerably cheaper than from Pittsburgh, hence at the same rates, the former would yield a margin for profit, whereas the latter would lose money for their owners. This has curtailed the demand here for shipment to Philadelphia for some time past, but it is thought that in the course of another week or two the section of country in question will be pretty well cleared of cattle, and just as soon as it is, we may look for an increased demand here.

The New York market has been unusually hard all week, and this was not without its effect here, notwithstanding we have had but little trade with that point for some time past. A New York exchange of 12th says: It may be safely said that the 130 carloads of beeves received to-day will make a loss to owners equal to $15,000. The greater part of the market was quoted steady to be sold at less than the cost price in Chicago. Reckoning the freight at $150 per carload, shipping expenses at $10 per car and shrinkage at $50 per car, we have a loss of $140 per carload.

Prime 1,500 steers, fat and smooth, quotable at 7@7¼; prime 1,300@1,400, 6⅞@6⅝; good 1,100@1,200, 6@6⅜. The demand for stock cattle continues light, owing to the backwardness of the season, but the offerings of this character were light, and with some fine weather, bringing forward the pasture, we look for an increased inquiry; quotable at 4⅛@5c, according to quality and condition.

HOGS.

The market for this class of stock has been quiet all week, and while the supply was light, it was pretty well up to the demand, which was also light; as regards prices, there has been but little change one way or the other. The New York advices continue unfavorable, owing, it is said, to New York dealers cutting one another; some of them it seems are determined if they can't make any money themselves, not to permit any one else to make any, the result of an active, strong, and we have no doubt, better competition. This has had its effect here, as the demand for shipment to that point has not been as brisk as it would otherwise have been; it is not to be supposed that the New York dealers will order any more than is absolutely necessary to keep up their trade as long as this war among themselves is kept up. The inquiry on Philadelphia account continues light, as butchers there, as here, are buying very sparingly, and but for the very limited offerings, prices could not have been maintained. Baltimore bought several cars this morning, but during the rest of the week the demand for that point was light. Philadelphia hogs quotable at 8⅛@8¾c, the latter figure for extra; Baltimore, 8@8⅛; Yorkers, 7⅛@7⅝c.

SHEEP.

The run of sheep was considerably in excess of that of last week, and while trade was fair on Monday and Tuesday, it has been dull and unsatisfactory ever since; on the days named the receipts were light, and everything offered found buyers at full last week's prices, but on Wednesday the arrivals were larger than expected, which, in connection with the unfavorable reports from New York, caused the market to take a turn backward, and it has been on the back track ever since. Prices to-day, as compared with the early part of the week, may be quoted off ¼ to ⅜ of a cent ℔ ℔, the market closing very dull, but there are those who predict that there will be a change for the better within the next few days on the ground that one extreme always follows another. Extra 100 ℔ clipped 5¼; prime 90@95 do., 4⅝@5; good 80@85 do., 4⅛@4⅜. There was an extra bunch on sale, averaging 119 ℔, which, in the early part of the week, would have brought 5⅜@5⅝, was but since offered at considerably less.

PITTSBURGH PETROLEUM MARKET

OFFICE OF THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE, SATURDAY, May 15, 1875.

The market was much firmer to-day, both for Crude and Refined. United certificates were quoted at $1.10; other lines at $1.05 at wells. Immediate shipment, $1.32⅜. At these figures buyers were numerous, but holders refused to sell. Refined firmer and in better demand, but prices are not quotably higher. The only sale here was 1,000 barrels at 10c on Connellsville cars after the 20th of May. The transactions during the month have been very light. Philadelphia market is quoted at 12⅜c for delivery after the 20th. This price was bid to-day but without finding sellers. A sharp advance in both Crude and Refined is looked for. Advices from the oil regions report that the development now going on west of Grease City, and east of St. Joe are looked upon with considerable interest by operators. However, but little confidence is felt in the success of the operations in those localities. If a strike of any importance should be made in the district, it would have a demoralizing effect on the markets. A number of wells were completed last week on the Cross Belt, between Karns City and Armstrong Run, which proved dry holes. In consequence, seven wells in course of drilling on the line of these developments were discontinued by the operators. The total number of wells now going down in the oil country are reported at 29. Operations so far this season have not turned out so favorably.

The Barrel market is unchanged; cities quoted at $1.30; countries, $1.15@1 20, with ten pound iron.

RECEIPTS AND SHIPMENTS.

Receipts Crude by river and rail from Jan. 1 to date	323,913 bbls.
Receipts Crude same time, 1874	746,662 "
Shipments Refined per Penna. railroad from Jan. 1 to date	48,815 "
Shipments same time, 1874	137,499 "

THE COMBINATION.

The combination known as the Central Association appears to slowly gain favor, but the success of the scheme depends entirely on the action of Pittsburgh. Many changes in the original plan have been demanded by the refiners here which, if acceded to, it is said, all of the refining companies will join probably with a few exceptions. There is no disguising the fact that Pittsburgh at present has the in the track of the Petroleum business, and is in a position to dictate rather than be dictated to. Since the opening of the Baltimore market last October, and the excellent facilities afforded by the Baltimore & Ohio road, our refiners have done a measurably prosperous business. What alone is needed to make this city the centre of the oil business, which, owing to her geographical position, she is justly entitled to, is a number of pipe lines from the Butler oil regions and a fair rate on Crude on the Allegheny Valley road, also an open competition for the carriage of refined by the two great rival railroads to the seaboard without the farcial drawback system. Positive assurance has been given by the manager of the Conduit Company that arrangements are rapidly being perfected which will enable them to deliver oil in barges, and also by pipe to a majority of the refiners. The attitude of the combination and the premature proceedings of the railroad pipe line clique in the oil regions, in regard to barge oil, has opened the eyes of the producers, and now a strong desire is manifested for a free pipe law, in order to extend an independent line to Pittsburgh. With pipe lines and barges a successful competition for the oil business by other localities would be rendered impossible.

The refiners should carefully weigh any and all propositions made to them before giving away the advantages which they possess to rival cities. They would do well also to remember that the element which propogated the combination affair is the same party that used their influence to defeat the passage of a "Free Pipe" bill, a measure advocated by the oil trade of this city. There is no doubt that the oil refining business is greatly depressed, and entirely at the mercy of exporters and foreign dealers, caused by a sharp competition and over-production.

THE ATLANTIC PIPE LINE—PROPOSED EXTENSION TO FREEPORT

A correspondent writing from St. Petersburg says:—The producers in this section are in a fever of excitement about the refusal of the railroad to ship their oil from Sligo. Last Wednesday evening between forty and fifty of them met in J. M. Guffey's office and talked the thing over and decided that the action taken at the previous meetings should be pushed to the bitter end. The movement is not confined to a few persons, but is participated in by all men interested in the welfare of producers, as was clearly exemplified by the fact that every man present took stock in the new scheme, according to his capital. Parties are now canvassing for subscriptions to the stock, and are meeting with flattering success, better than they had anticipated by far. The Atlantic pipe line, which extends from Beaver City to Sligo, and from which the railroad company refused to take oil, was owned principally by parties in Edenburg and Beaver, only four or five gentlemen of this place being holders of stock in it. It was built at a cost of $60,000, and now the owners propose to combine with other producers and extend the line right through from Sligo to Freeport, 26 miles from Pittsburgh. From this point the river is always navigable, and Pittsburgh refiners would as soon have their oil there in tanks as to have it piped to their refineries, as they could in all seasons move it in barges. Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars stock has been issued, and as soon as it is taken the pipe will be put through. For the purpose of more clearly understanding each other and for transacting such other business as may be deemed of importance in relation to this matter, a meeting will be held in the Opera House at this place, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The posters announcing the meeting request "all those in favor of unfettered transportation, free rivers and open trade" to be present.

SHIPMENTS REFINED OIL EAST VIA. ALLEGHENY VALLEY R. R.

Shipper.	Consignee.	Bbls.
J. A. McKee & Co	J. B. Tilford & Co	199
Standard Oil Co	Warden, F. & Co	1,047
Total		1,246

Chicago Bean Market.

CHICAGO, May 14.—Since the government contract has been awarded there has been more stir in this market, but the sales were no larger. The inquiry was good and had holders been disposed to accept former inside figures for choice Eastern mediums, there would no doubt have been more activity, but holders were disposed to be a shade firmer in their views, and in most cases asked a trifling advance, which fact checked trading. It was generally believed among dealers that buyers would pay $1.80 or $1.85 for choice hand-picked mediums, but holders were reluctant about accepting these figures. The stock is moderately large. The market closed quiet. Quotable at $1.80 per bu for choice hand-picked Eastern mediums in bags, $1.80@1.85 per bushel for the same in barrels and for car lots, and $1.85@1.90 in a retail way. Western were dull at $1.60@1.75 per bushel for common to choice. Navy quotable at $1.90@2 per bushel for good to choice hand-picked.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

Chicago.

CHICAGO, May 14, 1875

FLOUR—Demand fair and market firm.

GRAIN—Wheat firm; No 1 spring $1.05½@1.06; No 2 fresh $1.03¾; regular $1.02⅝ spot; $1.04⅝ seller June; $1.07⅝@1.07⅞ seller July; No 3 97⅛@97½c; rejected 87⅛@88c. Corn dull and lower; No 2 mixed 73½c spot; 73⅝c bid seller June; 76⅛c bid seller July; rejected 69@69½c. Oats dull and lower; No 2 68⅛c bid spot; 65c bid seller June; rejected 61½c. Rye active; No 1 $1.06⅛. Barley quiet and unchanged.

PROVISIONS—Pork dull and declined; $21.50 spot; $21.45@21.47½ seller June; $21.75 seller July. Lard dull; $15.35 spot; $15.37½@15.40 seller June. Bulk meats quiet and unchanged.

WHISKY—Dull and nominal; sales at $1.18.

On call board wheat was weak and easier; $1.04⅜ June; $1.07⅛ July. Corn weak and lower; 73⅜@73½c June; 76⅛c July. Oats firmer; 64c cash; 64c June. Pork dull and lower; $21.35@21.40 June; $21.65 July. Lard weak and lower; $15.32½ June; $15.52½ July.

New York.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Flour: receipts 8,000 bbls; dull and in limited demand; superfine western and State $4.85@5.10; common to good $5.15@5.65; good to choice $5.80@5.70; extra Ohio $5.35@7.50; St. Louis $5.40@8.50. Rye flour steady at $4.40@5.50. Corn meal steady at $4.00@4.65. Wheat: receipts 21,000 bushels; more doing; No. 1 spring $1.24@1.25; No. 2 do $1.15@1.18; No. 2 Chicago $1.19@1.21. Rye quiet at $1.06@1.08. Barley quiet. Corn in moderate demand; mixed western 80@87½c; yellow 87½c. Oats: receipts 9,000 bush; market firmer; mixed western 75½@78c; white 77@79½c. Hay firm at 65@70c. Coffee quiet at 16@18½c. Sugar dull. Molasses dull. Rice quiet and steady. Petroleum steady; crude 5⅜@6c; refined 12⅝@12¾c. Rosin quiet at $1.85@2.00. Turpentine quiet at 34@34½c. Eggs heavy at 14⅜@15½c. Pork lower at $21.00@22.00. Beef quiet. Cut Meats dull; dry salt shoulders 8⅜c. Middles dull; long clear 12⅞c; short clear 13⅜c. Lard lower; prime steam 15⅛c. Butter steady; western 12@25c. Cheese nominally 8@14½c. Whisky more active at $1.20. Leather heavy at 27@28c. Wool dull at 45@50c.

Metals.—Manufactured copper steady; ingot lake 22⅝@22⅞c. Pig iron quiet; Scotch $30@35; American $22@28. Russia sheet $14.50, gold. Nails firm; cut 3⅛@3⅛c; clinch $5⅞@3⅞c; horseshoe 24@28c.

Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, May 15.—Petroleum steady at 12⅛@12⅝c for refined; 6½c for crude. Clover seed 11@12c for western. Timothy $2.63. Flax seed $1.80. Flour less firm; Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota family $5.25@6.25. Pennsylvania, Indiana and Ohio do $5.00@6.50; high grades $7@8. Wheat moderately active at $1.30@1.40 for red. Rye $1.10@1.12. Corn slow at 87c for yellow; 86⅝@86c for western mixed. Oats dull at 74@76c for white; 73⅛c for mixed. Provisions steady. Pork $22@22.50. Beef hams $18@22.50. Smoked hams 14@16c. Pickled hams 12⅛@12½c. Lard 14⅝@15⅜c. Whisky $1.21 for western. Butter steady; choice new York and Bradford county extra 25@30c; do firsts 22@24c; western extra 23@24c; do firsts 17@19c; rolls extras 24@26c. Cheese: new dull and lower; skims neglected; New York prime 13@14⅛c; western prime new 13⅛@13⅜c. Eggs: western fresh 16@17c.

Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, May 15.—Flour very quiet; western superfine $4.50@5. Wheat firmer; No 2 western amber $1.37; mixed do $1.31; No 1 western red $1.37; No 2 do $1.33. Corn: demand good. Oats quiet and firm; western white 76@77c; western mixed 75c. Rye quiet at $1.15@1.18. Hay firm and unchanged. Provisions dull and heavy. Pork $22.50@23. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 8⅞c; clear rib 13c. Bacon quiet; shoulders 9c; clear rib 13c; Hams 14½@15½c. Lard dull; refined 16@16½c; steam 15⅜@15⅝c. Butter firm and unchanged. Petroleum nominal at 5⅝@6c. Coffee dull and unchanged. Whisky firm at $1.24.

Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, May 15.—Cotton dull at 15⅛c. Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat steady at $1.30@1.35. Corn steady at 77@79c. Oats firm at 69@75c. Rye firm at $1.22@1.25. Barley quiet and unchanged. Oils unchanged. Eggs firm at 13@13½c. Butter and Cheese firm. Pork steady at $22. Lard: demand active and prices advanced; steam 15⅛c; kettle 15⅛c. Bulk meats active; shoulders 8⅜c; clear rib 11⅞c; clear 12⅛c. Bacon steady and in moderate demand at 9⅜, 12⅜@13⅜c. Whisky firm at $1.15.

Foreign.

LONDON, May 15.—Tallow 43s@43s 6d.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—Cotton steady; middling upland 7⅜d; Orleans 8@8⅛d; sales of 8,000 bales, including 1,000 bales for speculation and export and 6,800 bales American. Wheat: No 2 to No 1 spring, new, 8s 4d@9s 11d. Refined petroleum 9⅛d; spirits do 7⅛d. Monday and Tuesday of next week are holidays in Liverpool. The various exchanges will be closed.

New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, May 15.—Corn firm at 91@92c. Oats firmer at 74@75c. Hay firm; choice $26. Coffee easier; fair to prime 17⅛@18⅞c. Corn meal firm at $4.25. Others unchanged. The *Price Current* gives the following stocks on hand: Pork, 7,772 bbls; lard, 4,150 tierces; 2,923 kegs; bacon, 7,688 casks; hams, 1,093 tierces; dry salt meats, 178 casks; molasses, 2,450 bbls; sugar, 3,000 hhds; flour, 13,000 bbls; coffee, 6,500 bags.

Boston.

BOSTON, May 15.—Flour in fair demand; prices well sustained; western superfine $4.50@4.75; common ex ras $5.25@5.75; Wisconsin and Minnesota extras $5.75@6.50; white wheat Ohio, Indiana and Michigan $6.25@7; white wheat Illinois $6.50@7.50; St. Louis $6.50@8.50; fancy Minnesota $7@8.75. Corn quiet at 91@94c for mixed and yellow. Oats firm but quiet at 7e@82c for mixed and white.

Nashville.

NASHVILLE, May 15.—Cotton quiet at 13⅜@14⅛c. Flour quiet at $5.00@6.50. Wheat steady at $1.23. Corn steady at 90c. Oats steady at 75c. Lard 16⅛@16⅜c. Bacon steady; shoulders 10@10⅛c; sides 13⅜@14⅛c. Bulk meats firm; shoulders 9c; sides 12⅛@13c. Sugar cured hams 14c, all packed. Whisky firm at $1.20.

Toledo.

TOLEDO, May 15.—Flour steady and in moderate demand. Wheat dull and weak; No 2 white Wabash $1.32; extra white Michigan $1.34; amber $1.28⅛; No 1 red $1.33; No 2 seller June $1.30. Corn dull and lower; high mixed 77⅛c; low mixed 76⅛c; no grade 74c. Oats dull and nominal; No 1 70c; No 2 68c; white 70c; Michigan 68⅜c.

Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, May 15.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat firm; No 1 Milwaukee $1.08; No 2 $1.03; seller June $1.04⅜; seller July $1.06⅜. Oats scarce; No 2 64c. Corn dull at 69c. Rye dull and lower; No 1 in store $1.03. Barley scarcely excited and higher; No 2 $1.33; No 3 $1.16@1.17.

Louisville.

LOUISVILLE, May 15.—Cotton dull at 15⅜c. Flour and Grain quiet and unchanged. Pork $22.25@22.75. Bulk meats 8⅜, $11.85@12⅜c, loose. Bacon 9⅜, $12.90@13⅜c. Hams: sugar cured 14c. Lard 15⅜@16½c. Whisky $1.15.

Memphis.

MEMPHIS, May 15.—Cotton steady at 15⅛c. Flour quiet at $4.25@5.75. Corn firm at 86c. Oats active at 73@74c. Lard quiet and unchanged. Bacon firm at 9⅛, 9⅛, 13⅜@13⅜c.

Detroit.

DETROIT, May 15.—Flour quiet and unchanged. Wheat dull and drooping; extra $1.30; No 1 $1.27⅛; amber $1.26. Corn steady at 77⅛c. Oats quiet at 67⅛@68⅛c. Clover seed $6.75@7.

Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, May 15.—Wheat, Corn and Oats steady and unchanged. Petroleum steady; 110 test 11⅛c, and 150 (State) test 12⅛c. Receipts: wheat, 2,800 bushels; corn 2,100; oats 6,500; barley 2,500.

Oswego.

OSWEGO, May 15.—Wheat dull; white State $1.37⅛. Corn steady at 88c.

Cotton.

NEW YORK, May 15.—Cotton dull at 16⅛@16⅜c; futures closed weak; sales of 15,400 bales; May 16 3-32c; June 16 3-32; July 16⅜c; August 16 7-16c; September 16 7-32@16⅜c; October 15 25-32c; November 15 9-16@15⅜c; December 15 19 32@15 21-32c; January 15 25-32@15 27-32c.

NEW ORLEANS, May 15.—Cotton: demand moderate; sales of 2,200 bales; prices steady; quotations unchanged; receipts 869 bales; exports to the continent 70; coastwise 1 239; stock 111,765.

CHARLESTON, May 15.—Demand fair; middlings 15⅛@15⅜c; low middling 15⅛c; good ordinary 14⅛@14⅜c; net receipts 312 bales; sales 500 bales.

SAVANNAH, May 15.—Market quiet; middlings 15⅛c; low middlings 15⅛c; good ordinary 14⅜c; net receipts 860 bales; exports to continent 1,000; sales 155.

MOBILE, May 15.—Market quiet; middlings 15⅛c; low middlings 14⅝c; good ordinary 14⅛c; net receipts 88 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,854; coastwise 266; sales 100.

Dry Goods.

NEW YORK, May 15.—The package trade in domestic goods drags heavily, and jobbing branches are quiet. Cotton goods are fairly steady, except bleached shirtings, which have a drooping tendency. Prints continue unsettled, but the best styles command full prices. Ginghams are still in light supply. Wooden goods rule quiet in first hands, and shawls are very dull. Foreign goods are quiet.

Wool.

BOSTON, May 15.—Wool is very dull, with no prospect at present of any improvement. The sales of fleece wool in the past week have been quite limited, comprising some small lots of Ohio and Pennsylvania fleeces at 52@57c; Michigan fleeces 48@52c. There is scarcely any inquiry for fine fleeces or fine Australian. Although prices may now be considered quite low, and holders anxious to close stocks, but even if concessions were submitted to the transactions would not be materially increased. 52@54c may be considered extreme prices for good XX and XXX fleeces, while No. 1 would sell readily at 57@58c. Pulled wool still meets with a fair demand, particularly fine supers suitable to take the place of No. 1 fleeces. Holders are sold up close, and have not allowed a stock of pulled to accumulate, as prices are as high now as they are likely to be for some time to come. Sales: western and other fleeces 42@50c; combing and delaine fleeces 57@66c; unwashed combing and delaine 45@50c; scoured 54c@$1.05; super and X pulled 42½@57½c.

Live Stock.

CHICAGO, May 15.—Cattle: receipts 500 head: market quiet and firm; stockers 3⅞@4⅜c; common to extra shipping steers $5.25@6.60, for 1,000 to 1,500 lbs average; veal calves $3@5 per 100 lbs; new milch cows $20@45; shipments 4,600 head. Hogs: receipts 4,000 head; market fairly active and prices firm; inferior 6⅜@7⅛c; common to extra light $7.50@7.90; poor to choice heavy $7.50@8.25; extra heavy grades nominal at $8.50@9; shipments 6,000 head. Sheep: receipts 90 head; market nominal at 3@5¼c for shorn; 5⅛@6⅜c for wooled.

CINCINNATI, May 15.—Hogs dull; common $7@7.25; good $7.65@8.00

IMPORTS BY RAILROAD.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD—100 bbls lime Ripley & Co; 1 car 1 beer J Lissey & Co; 1 car lumber McQuewan & D; 1 do Dunbar & Co; 6 bales rubber Hartly McK & Co; 1 box brushes Lewis Jasal; 12 bxs cullett Cunningham & I; 7 kgs nails Lewis O & P; 3 boxes merchandise England & B; 12 do s machine Lee & Smith; 2 cases paint Collins & Baldwin; 3 do F W Swartz & Bro; 15 bbls beans H J McCracken & Bro; 2 cks lanterns P & C R R; 1 ck wine G J Young; 2 bbls 2 cks cullett W McCullough & Co; 1 box wine H Frank; 2 bxs wood in shape J O Camphaus; 1 car oats Jas Graham; 1 do W G Miller; 21 sks rags Harris & McC; 15 do Godfrey & C; 1 planing machine W B Cochran; 2 pkgs butter 10 bxs cheese Voigt M & Co; 4 bbls eggs 3 tubs butter C H Lewis; 3 od s mdse G H Dauler & Son; 1 car paper Hill West & Co; 5 bbls c wheat F W Jenkins & Bro; 30 kegs p barley Haworth & D; 40 sacks oats Wm Welsh & Co; lot s iron Maloney & L; 5 bbls knobs Jacobus Nimick & Co; 5 bxs s b comr J Henderson & Bro; 12 bbls apples Vangorder & S; 2 bxs butter 1 bbl eggs C H Lewis & Co; lot stone ware F Gamble; 4 bbls eggs F T Kennedy.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO R. R.—400 sks flour Marshall K & Co, 1 car shoulders W B Hays & Son; 100 bbls flour 26 pails tobacco T C Jenkins; 50 trcs hams Rea H & K; 100 bbls spirits Hostetter & S; 1 case wood in shape owner; 1 bbl m water W H Buffum & Co; 1 do A Hammond & Co; 35 bxs soap Curry & M; 25 do J S Dilworth & Co; 27 bbls oat meal F W Jenkins & Bro; 10 bbls alcohol R M Kennedy & Co; 25 bbls spirits Fred Kaiser; 5 bbls brandy J J Speck & Co; 30 bxs soap Reymer Bro; 25 do Carter Bro; 100 bbls flour B H Voskamp & Co; 100 do Schomaker & Co; 50 do do 200 sks flour Roberts & S; 245 pigs lead Davis C & Co; 1 car wheat Whitmyer & Co; 1 car shingles Union Planing Mill Co; 1 do D Leonard; 1 do Black & S; 1 car wood E Tait; 1 do stone E Evans; 1 car potatoes G L Peabody & Co; 1 do Wilbert & W; 2 cars ore Brown & Co; 1 car m feed Houck McC & Co; 1 spring wagon L W Moore; 18 bbls apples C H Lewis & Co; 29 do Aiken W & P; 1 car s iron A Spear & Son; 3 bbls eggs J H Loh & Co; 25 boxes cheese lot butter Braden & P; 3 cars iron C A Carpenter; 4 bbls eggs H J McCracken Bro; 10 dozen brooms Haworth & D; 1 car oats Kell & R; 1 car oats W Welsh & Co; 3 cars limestone Shoenberger s & Co.

ALLEGHENY STATION—10 bbls apples J Herbert; 1 car lumber M Simon; 10 bbls flour Price & Bro; 100 sks do S P Armstrong & Co; 4 box s eggs 3 do butter George McFerron & Bro; 1 car lumber W J Barclay; 20 bbls fertilizer J Baer; 5 pkgs pearl barley, etc etc Trimble & W; 1 car oats Hack & S; 1 car lime Huntsman Miller & Co; 1 do Jos Craig; 1 do staves C Kollar; 18 bales cotton Kennedy & Co; 1 car lime Holmes & Co; 1 do oats Elwood & McC; 1 do flour Adams & K; 2 do barley Young & S; 2 do lumber L Walters & Son; 1 car second Hack & S; 5 pkgs butter 2 do eggs F Beckfield; 40 sks flour Ward & A; 60 do 15 bbls do J F Mimick; 8 bbls eggs 2 pkgs butter R Carson; 1 bbl eggs E & C Maginn; 3 do Beckfield & N; 5 do 6 do butter H Lens; 1 car lumber J Stedeford; 40 trcs hams Wilson Bros & Co; 45 bdls hides Keefe & S; 12 bags s corn 2 bbls flour 4 bales hay J Poor; 3 cars staves Central Ref Co; 2 do malt Lutz & W; 1 car flour P H Ittle & Co; 10 bbls 40 sks flour Geyer & F; 3 bbls eggs Hall & S; 1 car lumber Reed & Bro; 2 do stone A Beggs.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS R. R.—25 bales cotton Eagle Cotton Mills; 50 bales b corn Watt L & Co; 19 hides Wm Fiaccus & Co; 50 trcs hams E H Myers & Co; 3 bbls butter S S Marvin & Co; 1 1-2 doz chairs 9 rockers Close S & Co; 2 bdls hoes 4 b ls weed hoes Lindsay S & Co; 200 pigs lead Penna Lead Co; 1 car baled hay H J McCracken Bro; 26 bxs candies Voigt & McG; 3 bbls sausage W B Hays & Son; 2 bbls eggs Caldwell & Co; 7 do g apples Voigt M & Co; 5 bbls eggs Brown C & Co; 5 do J H Loh & Co; 2 bbls eggs Head C & Co; 40 pkg tobacco H Landis; 35 do R & W Jenkinson, 20 bbls whisky Wormser & J; 20 half bbls beer G Marks; 1 half bbl hams M & S A Coupland; 9 bbls beer A B Bihlman; 5 cases leaf tobacco Maul & G; 10 cars corn D G Stewart; 1 do do L C Newson; 6 bbls eggs J H Loh & Co.

RECEIPTS AT PITTSBURGH GRAIN ELEVATOR.—1 car ear corn D G Stewart; 1 do corn Hitchcock McC & Co.

Receipts of Pig Metal, Ore Blooms, and Muck Bar.

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH R. R.

Zug & Co ore	4	Cambria I Co p	5
Shoenberger B & Co o	8	Maloney & L s iron	1
Lewis O & P o	4		
Total			22

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD, P. R. R. LESSEE.

Nimick & Co m	31	Zug & Co m	9
W. M. Stone s l	1	Brown & Co o	2
Alborn C. & Co m	1	Eg'h F & Iron Co m.	2
Spang C. & Co m bar	1	Robinson Rea m	1
J. Reamer m	1	Caughey & H m	1
Lewis O & P o	10		
Total			60

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Pittsburgh, May 16, 1875.

Stations.	Above low water—or † ft.	in.	Change ft.	in.	Dir'n of Wind.	State of Weather.
Cincinnati, O	15	4			NE	Clear.
Keokuk, Iowa	10	2		—8	SE	Clear.
Leavenworth	11	1			SE	Clear.
Louisville, Ky	7	9		—1	N	Clear.
Memphis, Tenn	25	6		—11	NE	Clear.
Pittsburgh	5	2		—3	NW	Clear.
St. Louis, Mo.	18	8		—8	E	Clear.
Vicksburg, Miss.	41			†1	Calm	Clear.

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ARRIVALS.

Salt Valley, Sanford, Ironton.
Mallie Ragon, Williamson, Wheeling.
R W. Skillinger, Russell, Ironton.
Carrie Brooks, Darlington, Zanesville.

DEPARTURES.

Exchange, Shuman, Cincinnati.
Rover, Greenlee, St. Louis.

BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.

Wheeling. Mallie Ragon, 1 P. M.

THE stage of water last evening was five feet and falling. Weather clear, cool and pleasant.

THE Carrie Brooks is due here this morning from Zanesville.

THE Mallie Ragon is the regular Wheeling and Parkersburg packet to-day, leaving promptly at 1 P. M.

THE John Dippold, New Orleans to Pittsburgh, passed Cincinnati on Friday, with a tow of empty barges.

THE Mollie Ebert, Capt. F. Y. Batchelor, will be the next packet out for Cincinnati. The Ebert always gets her share of whatever is going.

THE Rover and barges departed for St. Louis at an early hour yesterday morning with a good cargo, consisting mainly of Pittsburgh manufacturers.

THE fine new steamer John L. Rhoads will, as will be seen by card, take her departure for St. Louis and the Upper Mississippi on Wednesday next.

TOWNS DOWDY, one of the oldest Cumberland River engineers, died at the residence of his brother, in Nashville, last Sunday. He had reached the age of 58 years.

THE Exchange departed for Cincinnati on Saturday evening with a fair trip, and she will doubtless pick up something below. Jas. Hamilton and Jas. Henderson are her pilots.

THE R. W. Skillinger, Capt. J. T. Russell, is the regular packet for Ironton to-morrow, leaving promptly, at 4 P. M. She will receipt through to Cincinnati and pay special attention to way business.

THE Cincinnati *Gazette* of Saturday says:—The family of Capt. Frank Y. Batchelor, of the Mollie Ebert, left San Francisco, Cal., last Saturday, and arrived here at noon yesterday. Capt. B. stopped off the Ebert this trip to meet them there.

THE R. W. Skillinger reports having passed the Fanny Tatum lying at Bellaire, on Saturday evening: whether she will turn back from there or come up, we are not at this writing advised. The Skillinger arrived at 2 P. M. yesterday and will return as usual to-morrow at 4 P. M.

THE graves of the late Captain Sam Houston, Captain John Myers and Frank H. Timms were decorated with flowers at Little Rock, last Tuesday, by their late comrades. It will be remembered that they lost their lives on the steamer Hallie, some months since, in action with the adherents of Brooks, during the Inter-State troubles.

A ST. LOUIS paper of Friday says:—Gray's towboat Ironsides will go up to Keokuk with 4 barges of coal—two thousand tons each for Hannibal, Keokuk, Burlington and Muscatine. She will return and go up again and cross the rapids. The Dan Hine takes her present Burlington and Muscatine barges over the rapids. The coal is for gas works.

THE Arlington was at Cairo on the 12th. The Cincinnati *Commercial* Cairo correspondent says: Among her passengers from this port was Mr. Albert Bunting, late clerk of the Mollie Moore, who is making the Southern tour in hopes of finding relief in the Southern climate for some spinal disease with which he has been afflicted for a long time, and which at times nearly paralyzes his lower limbs. He has consulted many eminent physicians, but they have all been unable to render him any relief.

THE following named towboats were in port last evening: Park Painter No 2, Venture, L. C. McCormick, Picket, James Jackson, Lioness, My Choice, Coal Valley, Charley McDonald, Maggie Smith, John Hanna, Sam Parker, Fred Wilson No 2, J. M. Camden, Tom Dodsworth, Panther, Diamond, Whale, Dick Fulton No 3, S & S. Ark, Resolute, Sam Clarke, Battle, N J. Bigley, Boss, Sam Miller, Eagle, Hercules, Reindeer, J. S. McDonald, Tigress, Tom Rees, Hornet No 2, James Gilmore, I. N Phillips, Charley McDonald and Fearless.

SUNDAY'S Cincinnati *Commercial* says:—The City of Quincy, from Pittsburgh to St. Louis, arrived at 12 M., and departed for St. Louis last night. Lew Pierce is one of her pilots. She brought 850 tons and 4,000 bushels of coal from Pittsburgh, received 30 tons from the Tom Jasper here, and has engagements for 600 tons of cement and other freight at Louisville for St. Louis. She had 35 passengers. The Shannon has for reshipment to Pittsburgh, 100 tons of pig iron, 100 tons of scrap iron, and 52 bales of cotton, and expects to make another visit to the Smoky City, leaving here on Wednesday.

A ST. LOUIS paper, referring to the proposed amalgamation of the Globe and Democrat, wiping the latter out of existence, says:—For almost a quarter of a century Mr. A. L. Ryland, the river editor of the *Democrat*, has filled his position on that paper. And now, with the amalgamation of the Globe and Democrat, he retires from the river column over which he has held undisputed sway. He has been a faithful servant of the time, and has always had the esteem and confidence of his employers as well as the respect and regard of the whole river fraternity. For nearly twenty-five years he has daily watched the waters that flow by our city, and noted the progress and decline of the interests of the business, from the better to the less prosperous days of steamboating.

A ST. LOUIS dispatch under date of 14th says:—Business dull. The Commonwealth and a fleet of barges are announced to leave here for New Orleans to-morrow, but they lack a deal of a cargo yet. The Leopold left for Wheeling last night with 1,800 tons of ore. She brings back a tow of coal for Galena and Dubuque. The Utah leaves for Cincinnati to-morrow. The Eckert came up from the docks to-day and landed opposite the city. She has been full repaired and painted, and looks handsome. Captain Dugan is still here. Travel on the Upper Mississippi is improving. Applications are coming in from all parts of the country to the office of the Keokuk Northern Line here for excursion tickets, and C. m. Davidson anticipates a big business this summer. Rates unchanged.

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PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—On and after SUNDAY, November 29, 1874, trains will leave Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows:
CITY TIME.
MAIN LINE EASTWARD.
PACIFIC EXPRESS daily, except Monday, 2:51 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 12:05 p. m., Philadelphia 4:15 p. m.; New York 7:35 p. m.
DAY EXPRESS daily, at 7:56 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 3:45 p.m., Philadelphia 7:30 p. m., New York 10:30 p. m., Baltimore 7:30 p. m., Washington 9:10 p. m.
MAIL TRAIN daily, except Sunday, 8:11 a. m., arriving at Harrisburg 8:40 p. m.
ATLANTIC EXPRESS daily, at 12:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 11:05 p. m., Philadelphia 3:10 a. m., New York 6:50 a. m., Baltimore 3:3 a. m., Washington 6:20 a. m.
PHILADELPHIA EXPRESS daily except Sunday, 4:21 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 2:25 a. m., Philadelphia 6:50 a. m., New York 10:10 a. m.
FAST LINE daily, at 7:51 p. m., arriving at Harrisburg 4:13 a. m., Philadelphia 8:05 a. m., New York 11:15 a. m., Baltimore 7:45 a. m., Washington 9:07 a. m.
WALL'S ACCOMMODATION 6:51, 10:31, 11:45 a. m., 2:41, 5:41, 6:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 12:51 p. m.
BRINTON ACCOMMODATION 6:06, a. m., 5:01 and 9:21 p. m. Sunday 9:21 p. m.
WILKINSBURG ACCOM. 7:16 p. m.
JOHNSTOWN ACCOMMODATION 3:31 p. m.
MAIN LINE WESTWARD.
Trains arrive at Union Depot, as follows, city time:
Mail Train daily, except Monday ... 1:21 a. m.
Fast Line daily except Monday ... 1:41 a. m.
Pittsburgh Express daily except Monday 6:56 p. m.
Cincinnati Express daily ... 7:41 a. m.
Pacific Express daily ... 1:41 p. m.
Way Passenger daily ... 8:21 p. m.
Wall's Accommodation 6:36, 9:01 a. m., 1:21, 2:41, 5:46 and 7:51 p. m., Sunday 10:01 a. m.
Brinton Accommodation 7:31, 8:21 a. m. and 7:11 and 11:11 p. m. Sunday 7:11 p. m.
Wilkinsburg Accommodation 9:21 p. m.
Johnstown Accommodation 9:41 a. m.
WEST PENNSYLVANIA DIVISION.
From Federal street Depot, Allegheny City, time.
MAIL TRAIN, connecting for Butler 6:36 a.
EXPRESS, connecting for Butler ... 2:11 p. m.
FREEPORT ACCOM., 9:16 a. m. and 4:46 p. m.
On Sunday, 12:51 p. m.
SPRINGDALE ACCOM., 11:21 a. m., 6:11, 8:41 and 11:16 p. m.
MARKET TRAIN FOR BUTLER, 3:21 p. m.
Trains arrive at Federal street Depot, city time:
Express, connecting from Butler ... 10:31 a.
Mail Train, connecting from Butler ... 5:46 p. m.
Freeport Accommodation 8:16 a. m. and 1:41 p. m.
On Sunday 9:51 a. m.
Springdale Accom., 6:51 a. m., 3 43, 7:11 and 11:16 p. m.
Market Train from Butler 9:11 a. m.
The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check baggage from hotels and residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the ticket offices, No. 78 Fifth avenue, and the Union Depot.
D. M. BOYD, JR., General Passenger Agent.
FRANK THOMPSON, General Manager.

ALLEGHENY VALLEY RAILROAD—On and after Nov 23d, 1874, trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Hulton Accom.	6:40am	Hulton Ac	6:30am
Buffalo Ex	7:25am	Night Express	7:00am
Kittanning Ac.	11:30am	Soda Works Ac	8:30am
Hulton Ac	2:00pm	Kittanning Ac.	10:00am
Titusville Ex	2:40pm	Hulton Ac	1:30pm
Kittanning Ac.	4:30pm	Titusville Ex	3:25pm
Soda Works Ac	5:55pm	Kittanning Ac.	5:40pm
Night Ex	8:25pm	Titus. Express	9:25pm
Hulton Ac	11:00pm	Hulton Ac	7:20pm

Buffalo and Night Express trains make direct connections for Buffalo.
Trains daily except Sunday.
Church Train leaves Soda Works at 8:35 a. m., arriving at Pittsburgh at 10:10 a. m.; returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 12:50 p. m., arriving at Soda Works at 2:25 p. m., stopping at all stations.
Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on Night Express between Pittsburgh and Titusville.
Buffalo Express connects at Red Bank for Brookville, Driftwood, Williamsport and all points on the P. & E. R. R.
Buffalo Express north connects at Red Bank with train on Sligo Branch, and at Sligo with stage for Clarion and points in Clarion county.
Titusville Express North and Pittsburgh Express South connect at Red Bank with train on Sligo Branch for Sligo.
Orders can be left with Excelsior Baggage Company, 78 Fifth avenue, for baggage to be checked from hotels or residences to destination.
Ticket office, No. 78 Fifth avenue and Union Depot.
J. J. LAWRENCE, Gen. Superintendent.
THOS. M. KING, Assistant Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, FORT WAYNE & CHICAGO RAILWAY. CLEVELAND & PITTSBURGH RAILROAD.
On and after ... 15th, 1874, Trains will leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, City Time, as follows:

LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:13am	Atlantic Ex	2:33am
Chicago Mail	6:13am	Wheeling Ex	10:53am
Cl. & Wh'g Mail	6:53am	Chicago Ex	12:28pm
Erie & Ash Ex	7:38am	Erie & Ash Ex.	2:43pm
Chicago Ex	9:53am	Chicago Mail	3:43pm
Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	1:53pm	Cleveland Ex	3:53pm
Pacific Ex	2:13pm	Ch. & St. L. Ex	7:18pm
Bellaire Ex	3:43pm	Cl. & Wh'g Ex.	7:28pm
Erie & War'n Ex.	4:38pm	Erie & Ash. Ex.	11:28pm
Depart from Allegheny.		Arrive in Allegheny.	
Beaver Falls Ac.	6:38am	Leetsdale Ac	6:53am
Leetsdale Ac	10:38am	Leetsdale Ac	7:53am
Leetsdale Ac	12:08pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	8:13am
Sharps. & As. Ac	1:18pm	Econ Accom	8:48am
Econ Accom	3:48pm	Sharps. & As. Ac	9:53am
Leetsdale Ac	5:13pm	Leetsdale Ac	12:53pm
Beaver Falls Ac.	5:23pm	Beaver Falls Ac.	2:13pm
Leetsdale Ac	6:28pm	Leetsdale Ac	4:28pm
Leetsdale Ac	10:58pm	Leetsdale Ac	7:43pm
Fair Oaks Sunday Church	12:48pm	Fair Oaks Sunday Church	9:53am

Pacific Express leaves daily. Chicago Express arrives daily.
Fast Line leaves daily, Mondays excepted. Atlantic Express arrives daily, Mondays excepted.
All other trains will leave and arrive daily, Sundays excepted.
F. R. MEYERS, General Passenger and Ticket Agent.
J. D. LAYNG, General Manager.

PITTSBURGH AND CONNELLSVILLE RAILROAD, (Pittsburgh, Washington & Baltimore "Short Line.")—On and after SUNDAY, February 14th, 1875, trains on this road will depart and arrive from Depot, corner of Grant and Water Sts., as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail.	7:25am	McKeesport Ac.	6:45am
McKeesport Ac	10:15am	McKeesport Ac.	7:40am
McKeesport Ac.	3:15pm	W. Newton Ac.	8:25am
Uniontown Ex.	3:45pm	Through Ex	10:35am
McKeesport Ac	4:20pm	Uniontown Ex.	10:00am
W. Newton Ac	5:20pm	McKeesport Ac	2:00pm
McKeesport Ac	6:20pm	McKeesport Ac	5:55pm
Through Ex	8:00pm	McKeesport Ac	7:35pm
McKeesport Ac	11:15pm	Through Mail	9:20pm
McKeesport Ch'ch	1:10pm	McKeesport Ch'ch	12:05pm

McKeesport Accommodation departs at 11:15 p. m., and arrives at 7:35 p. m., will run on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays only.
Mail and Accommodation trains daily, except Sunday. Express trains daily. Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars.
Saves 75 miles travel. Washington City, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York, and all points East.
General Ticket Office, 43 Fifth avenue.
SAMUEL C. HOUGH, General Passenger Agent.
R. K. HYNDMAN, General Superintendent.

PITTSBURGH, VIRGINIA & CHARLESTON RAILWAY.
On and after WEDNESDAY, April 14, 1875, and until further notice, trains will arrive and depart from Union Depot, Pittsburgh, stopping at Second avenue, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Monongahela Ac	11:00am	Pittsburgh Ac	6:51am
Express	3:40pm	Express	10:53am

Additional trains to and from 236 Carson street, South Pittsburgh, as follows:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Through Mail	6:10am	Homestead Ac	7:00am
Mixed Way	6:45am	Mixed Way	5:20pm
Homestead Ac	1:00pm	Through Mail	6:00pm

CHURCH TRAIN leaves Monongahela City every Sunday at 8:00 a. m., reaching Pittsburgh at 10:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Pittsburgh at 1:00 p. m., arriving at Monongahela City at 3:05 p. m.
Extra train leaves South Side on Saturday at 1:15 o'clock P. M., running to Homestead and return.
Packets to and from Brownsville close connection with all fast trains to and from Pittsburgh, as follows: Leave Brownsville daily (except Sunday) at 5:00 a. m., and 12:00 m., connecting with trains reaching Pittsburgh (Union Depot) at 10:53 a. m. and South Side at 6:05 p. m.
Returning train leaves Pittsburgh (South Side) at 6:10 and Union Depot 11:00 a. m. and 3:40 p. m., connecting with Packets reaching Brownsville at 11:45 a. m., 5:30 and 9:30 p. m.
Purchase through tickets.
Leave orders for Baggage at General Office, 61 Fourth avenue.
JOHN M. BYERS, General Superintendent.
WM. J. ROSE, General Passenger Agent.

PITTSBURGH, CINCINNATI & ST. LOUIS RAILWAY. (Panhandle Route.)
On and after SUNDAY, December 27, 1874, Trains leave from and arrive at the Union Depot, Pittsburgh, as follows, Pittsburgh time:

DEPART.		ARRIVE.	
Fast Line	2:03am	McDonald's Ac	7:13am
Columbus Mail.	7:13am	Washington Ac.	8:23am
Washington Ac.	8:53am	Steubenville Ac.	9:38am
Pacific Express.	8:03am	Cincinnati Ex	7:38am
McDonald's Ac	12:14pm	McDonald's Ac	5:43pm
Pittsburgh Ex.	2:13pm	Washington Ac.	3:13pm
Steubenville Ac.	3:28pm	Columbus Mail.	12:33pm
Washington Ac.	4:58pm	Fast Line	7:28pm
Mansfield Ac.	6:13pm	Southern Ex	2:33am
McDonald's Ac	10:38pm	Mansfield Ac	7:40pm
Sunday Church,	12:48pm	Sunday Church,	10:03am

Fast Line and Pittsburgh Express leave daily.
Fast Line and Cincinnati Express arrive daily.
All other trains will run daily, except Sundays.
Sleeping Cars without change to Cincinnati, Louisville, Indianapolis and St. Louis.
W. L. O'BRIEN, Gen. Passenger and Ticket Agent.
S. M. FELTON, Jr., Gen. Supt.

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ANDERSON & WOODS,
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Manufacturers of every description of
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Steel Fire Box and Boiler Plate, Elliptic and Platform Springs, Axles, Steel Tire, &c., &c.
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PITTSBURGH

HOME NEWS.

Narrow Escape.

On Saturday afternoon a man fell into the river from a coal flat, moored in the Allegheny river, opposite the Allegheny gas works, and narrowly escaped drowning. Several parties at once went to his assistance, but when he was drawn from the water he was insensible. He soon after recovered sufficiently to be removed to his home.

Sustains Its Reputation.

The *Galaxy* long since established its claim to a first class rank among magazines, and the June number, now ready, fully equals any of its predecessors. With contributors so able and vigorous as Justin M'Carthy, Junius Henri Browne, Mrs. Annie Edwards, and others of like mental caliber, the *Galaxy* must deserve success and maintain its present high standing among literati and savans.

An Insane Woman Captured.

On Saturday evening a woman entered the residence of Dr. Rankin, at the corner of Arch and Ohio streets, Allegheny, and commenced to create a disturbance. As she refused to go out, an officer was summoned and she was removed to the lock-up, when it was found that she was insane. Her husband, Thomas Carrol, was sent to Dixmont some time ago, and is kept there now by the Allegheny Poor Directors, as he is insane. She was also taken charge of yesterday by Secretary McGonnigle and removed to the insane department of the Poor House.

New Books.

Messrs. D. Appleton & Co., the great New York publishers, announce elsewhere several new volumes which will be hailed as good news by scientific readers. This house makes a specialty of scientific publications, and in this line has thus supplied a want that has long been felt among readers, who find both entertainment and instruction in science, and who are glad to have the best publications thus put at a price which brings them within easy reach. The volumes announced elsewhere will be found especially attractive, and, for their character, very cheap.

New German Association.

In 1871 a new German beneficial society, known as the Hildise Bund, was organized in this city. It has increased to such an extent that it now numbers six sections and 400 members, entitling it to an organization as a District body, and a separation from the Philadelphia district, with which it has heretofore been connected. Yesterday afternoon a very large meeting was held at No. 379 Penn avenue, and a number of officials from Philadelphia installed the following officers of the new district:

President—Felix Henle.
Vice President—Henry Salbach.
Secretary—Chas. H. Rohleder.
Board of Managers—Messrs. Rudolph, Dr. Sahfrass, Barbier, Heln and Telley.

THE PRIZE RING.

A Pugilist on His Way to Pittsburgh.

A dispatch from St. Louis, received last night, says: "Tom Allen the pugilist left here last night for Pittsburgh, within fifty miles of which city he is to fight George Rooke on the 17th of June. He will go immediately to McKee's Rocks, five miles from Pittsburgh, where he will go into active training under the direction of Johnny Newell and Young Donnelly. He has been in preliminary training here for some weeks past, and has reduced himself from two hundred and twenty-five to one hundred and ninety pounds. He expects to take off twenty more pounds of flesh and fight at one hundred and seventy. Barney Aaron and Owney Gagin will second him, and it is expected Joe Coburn and some other Eastern bruiser will second Rooke.

PAT MURPHY.

His Encounter With a Locomotive

Almost every person in Allegheny City, and in Pittsburgh is acquainted with that champion vagrant—Pat. Murphy. Ever since Supt. Cordier refused to keep him at the Work House, Pat. has been furnished lodgings at the Allegheny Poor House but he has occasioned Steward Johnston considerable trouble and annoyance by his frequent excursions from that institution, without first having obtained a permit. Finally he was informed that if he ran away again he would be chained to the floor. Since that time he has behaved himself right well, but on Saturday he slipped down to the track of the West Penn Railroad track; while walking along the track he was struck by a locomotive and knocked some distance. The train was at once stopped, supposing he was killed, and a man was sent back to gather up the remains, but what was the surprise on finding old Pat. sitting on a stone rubbing his head and cursing the locomotive. He was unhurt except that he had received a few bruises.

BROTHERLY LOVE VISITORS.

A Visiting Delegation of Quaker City Councilmen.

On Saturday evening a delegation of Philadelphia Councilmen arrived in the city, and were received at the Union Depot by Mayor McCarthy, and Messrs. Fulton, Fox, Braun, Thompson, Reilly and McNamara, members of Pittsburgh Councils, and Mr. Joseph M. Gazzam. The names of the visitors are as follows: Mr. J. Madison Gibson, Mr. John Munroe, Mr. John Fox, Mr. George White, Mr. George Weidner, Mr. Morris A. Davis, Mr. Fred. Deble, Mr. B. Frank Bonham, Mr. William Maneely, Mr. James W. Allen, Mr. A. M. Garwood, Mr. James Adams, Mr. Martin L. Johnson, Mr. George Johnson, Mr. Thomas Hamilton, Mr. Robert McArdle, General Louis Wagner. They were escorted to the Monongahela House, and after supper visited the theatres and other places in which Councilmen take most interest. Yesterday they skirmished out Penn avenue, journeyed to the summit of Mt. Washington, and wound up the day's instruction and amusement by inhaling a whiff of pure air at the Second avenue and Municipal Hall Parks. They return home this morning.

A LITTLE MISUNDERSTANDING.

It Ends in a Law Suit.

A few months ago the performance of "Dora" was given in Library Hall under the auspices of the Ladies' Relief Society and the proceeds of the entertainment were used for the relief of the poor. The Oliver B. Doud Dramatic Society, assisted by Katie Baker and Miss Miller, of the Opera House, presented the play and at the time it is alleged that Dr. Harris, who was acting as agent for the Relief Society, was to pay all expenses. Although the entertainment did not prove a success financially, Dr. Harris performed his part of the contract, but a new bill turned up which he knew nothing of, and which he declined to pay. The ladies named who assisted brought in a bill of twenty-five dollars for their services and it not being promptly paid it appears they made an assignment of it to Dr. Arthurs, and that gentleman recently entered suit before 'Squire McMasters against Dr. Harris, Wm. H. McCreery and Mr. Richard E. Breed, and a hearing was had in the case on Saturday afternoon. After examining several witnesses for the plaintiff, Dr. Harris testified that he had understood the performance was to be given solely by the members of the Oliver Doud Dramatic Society, and had no thought of their having any outside supporters.

The 'Squire reserved his decision, which will be rendered to-day.

OBITUARY.

Death of Mrs. Jane Simpson.

Yesterday morning Pittsburgh lost one of its oldest residents, by the death of Mrs. Jane Simpson, which occurred at the residence of her son, Mr. William Simpson, No. 49 Congress street. The deceased had been ill but about forty-eight hours, and the immediate cause of her death is supposed to have been the breaking of a carbuncle in her throat. She was in the seventy-fourth year of her age, and all through her life had been in the enjoyment of almost uninterrupted good health. Even in her advanced age she was active and sprightly, and until within a few days of her death, bid fair to live yet many years.

Mrs. Simpson was a native of Pittsburgh, and resided here all her life; she was thus among our oldest and most widely known residents. For the last thirty-six years of her life she was a widow and made her home with her children, passing the time with each as her inclination directed. Latterly, however, she had made her home principally with her daughter, but had come to her son's house for a visit, where she was seized with the disease that terminated her existence.

The deceased was a lady of very excellent disposition, and was not only beloved in the home circle and among her immediate friends, but was held in loving esteem by all who enjoyed the privilege of companionship or acquaintanceship with her. She had been a member of the United Presbyterian church for many years, and gave evidence in her daily life, that the Christian profession she had made was not merely lip service, but a devotion of the heart as well. Under her training all the members of her family were brought into the church, and are now attendants at the Seventh U. P. Church, Rev. T. H. Hanna, pastor. Thus her career was one of Christian action, and after life's fitful fever, she sleeps well.

The deceased leaves three children—Mr. Wm. Simpson, of the firm of Brush & Co.; Mrs. Joseph Hastings, wife of the well known contractor, and Mrs. Carey, of Birmingham. To these bereaved ones and many other ones who mourn her loss, we tender sincerest sympathy.

The funeral will take place to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon, from the residence of her son, No. 49 Congress street.

Jonas R. Butterfield, Esq.

The many friends of Jonas R. Butterfield, Esq., will be saddened to learn of his death, which occurred last evening at the family residence on Forty-third street. The deceased was well known in social and professional life, and was regarded as a young man of culture and ability. He was a member of the legal fraternity, and was making his way to the front when death thus terminated his mortal career. His sudden demise will cause genuine sorrow in many hearts.

Get your Lady Fingers, Macaroons and Cocoanut Drops from your grocers, at reasonable prices. These goods are made by S. S. Marvin & Co., and delivered fresh every day.

A CENTURY AGO.

Memories of Colonial Days.

The Centennial Celebration at Greensburg on Saturday—Practical and Sturdy Views of the Early Settlers—Reviving Recollections of the Olden Time—Speeches by Senator Cameron, Ex-Senator Cowan, Governor Hartranft, Judge Kirkpatrick, Hon. T. J. Bigham, Hon. B. J. Bradford and Mr. W. D. Moore—A Gala Day in Westmoreland County.

The fickle and inconstant weather of Spring should have been in its cheeriest and most pleasant mood on Saturday, in honor of the centennial celebration of the Hannastown resolutions, adopted at a meeting of frontiersmen held one hundred years ago yesterday. Instead of being bright and happy, as everybody at Greensburg tried to be, it manifested a rather surly disposition, and not once during the long, cold day did a ray of genial sunshine penetrate the heavy, leaden clouds that obscured the sky. This is not written in a spirit of complaint at all, but only to record the fact that Spring takes no more heed of centennial celebrations, and is no more disposed to smile sweetly upon them than upon any ordinary May day frolic. When the GAZETTE reporter arrived at Greensburg on Saturday a chilly wind, boisterous and vigorous as an unruly boy, was energetically circulating through and around the town, flapping the flags flying at every turn, and as it never for a moment ceased its demonstrations it required everybody to keep up the same unflagging energy if they wished to maintain that degree of caloric necessary to personal comfort. Oh! The weather was in a horrible mood; stern, positive and unyielding; perhaps indicative of the rough, but none the less manly characteristics and attributes of the men of colonial times, and it is possible that when King George the Third learned of the actions of the men of Massachusetts Bay and Hannastown he felt towards them pretty much as the writer did towards the weather, that is, somewhat put out; indeed it is a matter of record that His Royal Highness' impressions were not pleasant ones, and the events which prominently note the passage of subsequent years were in no wise calculated to increase his affection, though they certainly compelled his respect. When the descendants of King George look over this broad and beautiful country of ours, which, notwithstanding the taxes and political corruption is still the greatest, grandest and best of all, and see what tyranny lost to British rule and English glory, they doubtless recognize the fact that tyrannical measures are not always effective in accomplishing the end desired, but, on the contrary, sometimes bring about a finale eminently undesirable.

THE DISPLAY OF BUNTING.

The reader will excuse the writer for having wandered from the subject, but these side speculations are intertaining and hard to resist. Greensburg was prettily and tastefully decorated with flowers, evergreens, flags of gigantic and diminutive proportions, and everything else which could be made to do duty as a beautifier. From staffs on house tops, from the four corners of innumerable windows and from ropes stretched across the streets thousands of National banners fluttered and flapped in the wind, and the profuse decorations of bright green pine, arranged around mottoes of black on fields of white, encircling the windows and doorways of houses, peeping from stores and hotels and festooning the sidewalks, contrasted prettily with the red banners, the many colored dresses upon the pavements and the varied hues of innumerable boquets and wreaths which graced every projection that afforded them room to hang upon. Across the main street, in front of the court house, was an arch of pine in the middle of which was inscribed "May 16" and at either end the figures "1775," "1875." Standing upon an eminence at the head of town and looking down Main street nothing could be seen save an immense moving mass of people, with mounted aides de camp ornamented with red, white and blue streamers moving about among them, maneuvering military in gorgeous uniforms and bright bayonets, bands of music with polished instruments, and flags, flowers, wreaths, festoons and arches. It was such a display as Greensburg may not conceive and give birth to for many decades, perhaps not until Time numbers off another hundred years.

THE THRONGING PEOPLE.

In addition to the four thousand of a population with which Greensburg is credited it had fully that many more visitors on Saturday. During the whole of the forenoon the residents of the agricultural districts maintained a heavy and steady influx, and every train from Pittsburgh, including two or three specials, kept adding to the hourly increasing number. Delegations were also present from Latrobe, Mt. Pleasant, Irwin's Station, Indiana, Johnstown and other points east on the Pennsylvania railroad. The military comprised a company of Duquesne Grays under command of Captain W F. Aull; Knap's battery men under command of Captain J. D. Walker; twelve men of the Hutchinson, formerly Hampton battery; Co. "D," Fourteenth Regiment, under command of Captain Heckert; Co. "F," Fourteenth Regiment, Captain Perchment; Latta Guards, Captain Barr; Gallagher Grays of Latrobe, Captain Wood, and a portion of the Heath Zouaves, but the latter were not in uniform. A delegation of nineteen Philadelphia Councilmen on their way to this city also spent the day in Greensburg and left in the evening. The military display would have been much larger had it not been for some sort of a conflict of authority between Col. Dick. Coulter, Chief Marshal, and Gen. T. F. Gallagher, commander of the Westmoreland division of the N. G. P. The exact difference between them it was hard to learn, but it is well known that the presence of the Pittsburgh militia was earnestly desired, and General Pearson's reasons for refusing permission to any of the companies under his command to attend, was based on a point of etiquette and that point was that General Gallagher had not invited any of his command to participate in the ceremonies of the day. Telegrams were sent back and forward between Greensburg and Pittsburgh, and no little telegraphic maneuvering was done, but the result of it all was only a partial turn out of the military forces of this city. In response to an invitation sent by Col. Coulter, Gen. Pearson returned word that the finances of his division were such as to preclude the possibility of it attending the Centennial. Colonel Coulter offered to meet the expenses of a regiment from Pittsburgh, and Captain Aull sent word to him that he had six or seven companies ready to go but that Gen. Pearson had positively prohibited them from leaving the division to which they belong, unless by the permission of Gen. Gallagher, of the Greensburg department. Without the military the parade would not have been a startling success at all, and had the differences between the commanders not originated it would have been more of a success than it was. Captain Aull and his boys expected to be placed under arrest upon their return to the city, but the telegram from Adjutant General Latta requesting Gen. Pearson to allow his men to attend the celebration will doubtless forestall any such result.

About noon the parade came off and occupied about an hour. Everybody then went to dinner and spent another sixty minutes disposing of a noonday meal prepared especially for the occasion and which comprised just such rich, solid and substantial edibles, dished up in wholesome country style, as are to be found only in rural towns like Greensburg. How great the difference; how vast the contrast to a follower of Epicurus between such dinners and the attenuated, cadaverous fare of the average municipal boarding house.

THE HANNASTOWN RESOLUTIONS.

In accordance with the programme a meeting was held in the court house after dinner, and during the assembling of the audience Frank Cowan undertook theardnous task of pointing out to the more distinguished visitors the classic beauty of the frescoing and figures which ornament the walls of the Temple of Justice. The figure on the right he explained was a picture of George Washington, but the agonizing expression on his face so distorted his features that an explanation was necessary to assist the recognition of the observer. The one to the left was intended as a representation of Thomas Jefferson, but somehow or other it failed to create the impression that the likeness was a good one.

The room having filled to its utmost capacity the meeting was called to order by Mr. H. C. Marchand, after which Frank Cowan, who is a fair elocutionist and possesses a full, clear voice, read the following resolutions which Mr. Marchand stated were the basis of the celebration:

At a general meeting of the inhabitants of the county of Westmoreland, held at Hannastown, on the 16th of May, 1775, for taking into consideration the very alarming situation of this country, occasioned by the dispute with Great Britain.

Resolved unanimously, That the Parliament of Great Britain, by several late acts, have declared the inhabitants of Massachusetts Bay to be in rebellion, and the ministry, by endeavoring to enforce these acts, have attempted to reduce the said inhabitants to a more wretched state of slavery than ever before existed in any State or country. Not content with violating their constitutional and chartered privileges they would strip them of the rights of humanity, exposing lives to the wanton and unpunishable sport of a licentious soldiery, and depriving them of the very means of subsistence.

Resolved, unanimously, That there is no reason to doubt but the same system of tyranny and oppression will (should it meet with success in the Massachusetts Bay) be extended to every other part of America. It is, therefore, become the indispensable duty of every American, of every man who has any public virtue or love for his country, or any bowels for posterity, by every means which God has put in his power, to resist and oppose the execution of it; that for us, we will be ready to oppose it with our lives and fortunes, and to enable us to accomplish it, we will immediately form ourselves into a military body, to consist of companies to be made up out of the several townships, under the following association, which is declared to be the association of Westmoreland county:

Possessed with the most unshaken loyalty and fidelity to His Majesty King George the Third, whom we acknowledge to be our lawful and rightful King, and whom we wish may be long the rightful sovereign of a free and happy people throughout the whole British Empire, we declare to the world that we do not mean by this association to deviate from that loyalty which we hold it our bounden duty to observe; but animated with love of liberty, it is no less our duty to maintain and defend our just rights (which with sorrow we have seen of late wantonly violated, in many instances, by a wicked ministry and a corrupt Parliament) and transmit them entire to our posterity, for which purpose we do agree and associate together.

First—To arm and form ourselves into a regiment or companies, and choose officers to command us, in such proportions as shall be thought necessary.

Second—We will with alacrity endeavor to make ourselves masters of the manual exercises and such evolutions as shall be necessary to enable us to act in a body with concert, and to that end we will meet at such times and places as shall be appointed, either for the companies or the regiment, by the officers commanding each when appointed.

Third—That, should our country be invaded by a foreign enemy, or should troops be sent from Great Britain to enforce the late arbitrary acts of its parliament, we will cheerfully submit to military discipline, and to the utmost of our power, resist and oppose them, or either of them, and will coincide with any plan that may be formed for the defense of America in general or Pennsylvania in particular.

Fourth—That we do not wish or desire any innovation, but only that things may be restored to and go on in the same way as before the era of the stamp act, when Boston grew great and America was happy. As a proof of this disposition we will quietly submit to the laws by which we have been accustomed to be governed before that period, and will in our several or associate capacity be ready when called upon to assist the civil magistrate in carrying the same into execution.

Fifth—That when the British Parliament shall have repealed their late obnoxious statutes, and shall recede from their claim to tax us or make laws for us in every instance, or when some general plan of union or reconciliation has been formed or accepted by America, then our association shall be dissolved; but till then it shall remain in full force, and to the preservation of it we bind ourselves by everything dear and sacred amongst men.

No licensed murder; no famine introduced by law.

Resolved, That on Wednesday, the 24th, the township meet to accede to the said association and choose their officers.

ORGANIZATION.

The meeting was now formally organized by calling Hon. Simon Cameron to the chair. The years are beginning to tell on this famous politician and statesman. His long and still abundant hair is growing whiter, and Time is plowing the furrows in his face deeper and deeper, bringing out into still greater prominence the determined nose which has more than once been the subject of Nast's caricatures. But mentally he is as young and vigorous as ever, and his eyes are keen and bright. After assuming the chair he read the following list of Vice Presidents, comprising two gentlemen from each of the counties formerly included within the limits of Westmoreland county: Allegheny, Hon. Moses Hampton and Hon. T. J. Bigham. Armstrong, Messrs. A. Reynolds and H. N. Lee. Beaver, Hon. M. S. Quay and Hon. Benjamin Rush Bradford. Butler, Hon. Jacob Ziegler and Hon. Jno. M. Thompson. Clarion, Messrs. Corbett and Coulter. Crawford, Messrs. Lowrie and Pettis. Erie, Messrs. Galbraith and Coulter. Fayette, Hon. E. Wilson and Hon. Daniel Kaine. Forrest, Messrs. Agnew and Davis. Greene, Hon. A. A. Purman and Mr. W. T. H. Pauley. Indiana, Judge Sutton and Mr. Jamison. Lawrence, Messrs. McGuffin and McKinley. Mercer, Messrs. White and Spearman. Venango, Judge Trunkey and Mr. Taylor. Warren, Messrs. Schofield and Struthers. Washington, Hon. W. S. Moore and Mr. Miller. Westmoreland, Messrs. Rohrer, Cope and Markle.

Following the announcement of the Vice Presidents, Rev. Speer made an earnest prayer, petitioning for the preservation of our country from civil and religious despotism, the perpetuation of the present form of representative government and the safety of our institutions.

GEN. CAMERON'S REMARKS.

Mr. Cameron next made a brief address, saying: It is down that General Cameron is to address this meeting. That was not by my authority at all, but nevertheless I am glad to be here. I was only chosen to preside after it was learned that several who had been selected could not be here, and consequently I have made no preparation and shall not make a speech. Still I am pleased to be with you on this pleasant occasion. You are surrounded by a beautiful country which is filled with an intelligent population. You have here the people who left Ireland because of the insufficiency of civil liberty—the men of Derry. You have also been benefited by the Teuton and the Scotch, the blood of which liberty-loving races circulates in your veins. There is no country like this where the elements of wealth and prosperity are so blended together. Your rich soil is underlaid with the most valuable minerals. The green fields of Sunny Italy are not to be compared with this place in beauty. There is no place where you can have so much invigorating health, and no place where one should be more content to stay than here. The descendants of the people who came here have gone by every river and valley to the West and South, carrying with them the principles, the enunciation of which we have met here this day to celebrate. Not one of the men who were at Hannastown could have dreamed what they were doing, nor of the fruit borne of the seed they planted. They have almost the very words of Jefferson. The word honor is wanting, but they were a people who did not boast so much of their honor as their honesty, which is something better. I repeat that I am glad to be here, and only wish I could make a speech.

A COLONIAL BANNER.

When Mr. Cameron had finished, Mr. H. P. Laird said that he desired to present for inspection by the audience a battle flag which had been used in the Revolutionary war. It is now in the possession of a granddaughter of General Craig. It was taken from a box and carefully unfolded by Senator Cameron, and as it unrolled before the crowd it was greeted with a rousing cheer. The banner is a silk one, of a dark, rich blood color, and is considerably torn. The inscription in the center is almost effaced, but the initials "J. P.," "F. B.," "W. C." and "P." can be made out without much difficulty. They stand for "John Proctor, First Brigade, Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania." Just below the legend is a rattle snake, the tail of which is decorated with thirteen rattles, and under it is the terse and very significant motto, "Don't tread on it."

After this exhibition Mr. Laird moved for the appointment of a committee of thirteen to prepare resolutions expressive of the sentiments of the meeting. The motion prevailed, and as the committee had already been selected, Senator Cameron read the list as follows:

H. P. Laird,	Judge Trunkey,
Judge Sterrett,	Hon. Jno. Williamson
Judge Junkin,	R. G. Orr,
Col. T. A. Rohrer,	Wm. Jack,
Jno. W. Riddle,	Rev. W. T. Cain,
H. C. Marchand,	David Shaw,

D. S. Atkinson.

This committee is to prepare its report at leisure, and it may be some time before it is made public, as it is intended to make it a matter of history and something probably of value for reference to the future writer, and for use at a possible centennial celebration a hundred years hence.

SENATOR COWAN'S SPEECH.

The Court House being altogether too small to accommodate the large number of people who wished to see what was transpiring and to hear the speeches, it was resolved to adjourn to the exterior of the building and have the addresses delivered in the open air. This was accordingly done, and leaning over the iron railing surrounding the Court House yard, Hon. Edgar Cowan delivered the oration of the day. Had he spoken in-doors he would have made the speech printed in Saturday evening's papers, from which he deviated considerably. After the usual preliminary flourishes the Senator got fairly launched on the sea of oratory and for about an hour he sailed around in it, edifying and entertaining his auditors. His speech was sensible and practical and directed mainly toward the purpose of impressing his hearers with the importance of resisting the encroachment of government beyond the limits prescribed by the Bill of Rights and the Constitution. He recapitulated and praised the manly virtues of our forefathers and eulogized their opposition to tyranny. He traced the history of *Magna Charta* and described the fate of the English Kings who had attempted to set it aside. What *Magna Charta* is to the people of England the Bill of Rights is to the citizens of the United States, and he urged his hearers to cherish and guard it as the basis of their liberties, for once swept away, it may take centuries to regain it. Mr. Cowan told what government is for, how far it should go, and how wrong it would be for the people to permit the rulers to legislate in religious matters, as did the early Puritans. The speech was interspersed with anecdotes, illustrative of the subjects touched upon, and at the conclusion the peroration drew a burst of applause.

REMARKS FROM THE GOVERNOR.

During the progress of Mr. Cowan's speech Governor Hartranft arrived, accompanied by the following staff: Colonel W. W. Jennings, Harrisburg; Colonel Charles S. Greene, Philadelphia; General S. Irwin Givin, Philadelphia; Colonel David Branson, Philadelphia; Major Levi Huber, Pottsville; and Colonel Norman M. Smith, Pittsburgh. The Governor being called upon for a speech, couldn't refuse, of course, so yielding willingly to public clamor, he occupied a few minutes in saying the following:

Mr. President and Friends:—I scarcely expected to be with you to-day, and am therefore not prepared to make a speech. I had determined, though, if possible, to be here, and I have come. I have no personal reasons to move me to that end by having had any relations living in this section, but the public interest called me here. The celebrations at Ticonderoga, Bunker Hill and other points, which have come off or are about to transpire, have a local interest which will culminate in the great Centennial in Philadelphia next year. A few days ago I was speaking with a gentleman who had been to the Concord and Lexington centennial. There were seventy-five thousand people there, said he, but there was not even any speech-making. They went there to see each other, to exchange patriotic sentiments in private, and they felt glad to be there. I have just come from Chicago, and we have the promise of a good support from that section for our great National Centennial in Philadelphia. We ought to be proud in Pennsylvania at having one of these skirmishes, such as this one of to-day, before the great battle comes off next year. True it is, that when those people assembled here one hundred years ago they did not think that they would be severed from the mother country. But so it is, and quickly done it was, too, after the meeting at Hannastown. But there are other speakers here who will entertain you much better than I can do, and I will withdraw.

THE STAMP ACT.

Judge Kirkpatrick, formerly a resident of Westmoreland county, followed Governor Hartranft, and delivered the most eloquent address of the day. It bloomed with the choicest flowers of rhetoric, the sensuous literary perfume of which wholly captivated his hearers. Mr. Benjamin Rush Bradford next gave a brief sketch of the resistance to the stamp act in Philadelphia, as related to him by his father at the age of 91 years. The citizens procured a martial band and marching with it through the streets they announced at every corner that a meeting would be held that night at the coffee house for the purpose of considering the stamp question. The meeting was held and it was resolved that the stamp act should not go in force. Wm. Hughes, the Stamp Master, was told that he must resign or submit to the unpleasant performance of riding on a rail, and the Captain of the vessel then in the harbor with the stamps on board, was also informed that he could not land them. Mr. Hughes passed in his resignation, and the Captain heeded the information given him.

WESTMORELAND'S EARLY DAYS.

The speech of Hon. T. J. Bigham was almost exclusively about the history of Westmoreland county, of which he is well informed, not only as to facts but traditions also—stories mellow with age and exuding the rich flavor of generations ago. He said that his grandfather settled on Beaver Run, within three miles of Hannastown, and hence he felt a peculiar interest in this celebration. Westmoreland county was formed in February, 1773, and was the last of twelve counties formed by the colonial government of Pennsylvania. He gave a detailed history of the early times of Westmoreland county, the first court of which was held in Robert Hanna's house, and in Hannastown from 1773 to 1782. In the latter year the village was burned by the Indians. Mr. Bigham dropped the thread of his discourse for a moment to state that Gen. Gallagher had come through Hannastown that morning and had seen a flag flying from one of the very few houses there, showing that the patriotic spirit still exists.

"Three cheers for Hannastown," said an enthusiastic listener, and the cheers were given with a will.

Resuming, Mr. Bigham paid a high compliment to the memory of Gen. Arthur St. Clair, who is buried at Greensburg, and over whose grave a monument was erected at public expense. He was the great man of the county, and not only held all of its offices, but was a Major General in the U. S. Army, and was elected to Congress, of which body he was also President. The speaker concluded by referring to the controversy between Pennsylvania and Virginia regarding the possession of Westmoreland county, which Lord Dunmore claimed as a part of Augusta county, Virginia, also to the controversies with Maryland and Connecticut.

The concluding speech of the day was made by Mr. W. D. Moore, of this city, who spoke concerning the preservation of our institutions and the maintenance of their purity.

Thus ended the centennial celebration of the passage of the Hannastown resolutions, and it was an unqualified success.

BREVITIES.

Paragraphic Pencilings of Passing Events.

····There was a very heavy frost yesterday morning.

····A new Masonic Lodge was dedicated at Sharon on Friday.

····Alleghenians came to Pittsburgh yesterday to get their bock beer.

····The policemen who did duty at the Pittsburgh Bolt works are still unpaid.

····The Sewickley colored knights will hold another grand tournament next Thursday.

····The old Sheriff's office is being fitted up for the accommodation of the Orphans' Court.

····A lady in the dress circle of the Opera House fainted last night, from the effect of heat and impure air.

····"The boys" call the raid on the Adelphi Theater, one night last week, a benefit. It got the benefit of the police.

····There was exceedingly heavy frost yesterday morning, and it doubtless put an extinguisher on the tender fruit buds, which escaped the spring freezes.

····A silver watch and chain and a pocket-book containing fourteen dollars, were stolen from the boarding house of Mrs. Lowman, on Twenty-sixth street, on Saturday morning.

····The contract for the erection of gas works at St. Thomas, Canda, a town of about eight thousand inhabitants, has been awarded to Messrs. Connelly, Naylor & Co., of this city.

····A man named Wm. Cranston, a workman at Morrison's saw mill, in the Eighth ward, Allegheny, had the ends of three of his fingers cut off by a circular saw, on Saturday.

····Alderman Chess, of Allegheny, committed a colored man named Wm. Rogers and a white woman named Lizzie McAllister to jail on Saturday, for trial, on charges of adultery and larceny.

····A carpenter named Miller fell in a fit at the corner of Third and Middle streets, Allegheny, yesterday afternoon and received a slight wound on the head. He was removed to home near by.

····The boarding house of Mrs. Riddle, at No. 395 Penn avenue, was relieved of a number of valuable articles in the way of silver forks, spoons, napkins, rings, &c., at an early hour on Saturday morning.

····A coal miner named Stowetz was killed on Saturday at Penn station, on the Pennsylvania railroad, a few miles the other side of Greensburg. He attempted to get on a train but was thrown under the cars.

····Under the new Pennsylvania railroad schedule, soon to go into effect, two daily trains will run from the Union Depot over the Southwest Pennsylvania railroad to Connellsville. They will leave at 8:25 A. M. and 6:15 P. M.

····The fire on Mount Troy, noticed in the GAZETTE, Saturday morning, was the burning of the stable attached to the premises of Mr. G. C. Hammer. A horse and cow, and a lot of agricultural implements, were burned with the stable.

····The Hercules, the only remaining effective engine at the old water works, broke down early Saturday morning and left a scant supply of water in the basin. By evening, however, it was repaired sufficiently to be put to work again.

····There was a cutting affray in a saloon on Fifth avenue, above Soho, yesterday afternoon, but it did not assume serious proportions. One man was cut on the arm and another on the head but neither of them dangerously.

····The body of an unknown man was found a few days ago in the Ohio river, near Quaker valley station, on the Pittsburgh, Ft Wayne & Chicago Railroad. The man was apparently about thirty years of age, some five feet ten inches in height, dark hair, had on three shirts, and was dressed in a dark striped cassimere suit. There were found in his pockets an old fashioned seven barreled revolver of the French make, a pocket book, $1.77 in money, a strap with two keys attached, a meerschaum segar tube and various other minor articles. An inquest was held on the remains by Squire Begg of Moon township, when a verdict in accordance with the facts was rendered.

····Yesterday was Whit Sunday. It was observed in the Catholic and Episcopal Churches. It derives its name from the Saxon word Witte, or wisdom, which the Holy Spirit imparted. It is also called Pentecost, a Jewish term for the feast which fell fifty days after Easter. The origin of the latter—Pentecost—is well known. It was designed to commemorate the delivery of the new law on Mount Sinai, fifty days after the departure of the children of Israel from the land of Egypt. The meaning of the word Pentecost is fiftieth. Our festival of Whitesunside is somewhat moveable in its character—sometimes occurring in May and at times in June, but always seven weeks after Easter.

PERSONAL.

***Hon. John Williamson, of Huntingdon, is in the city, the guest of Judge Sutton.

***Bishop Lynch, of Charleston, S. C., is expected to deliver a lecture in the Cathedral in about a fortnight.

***If Frank Cowan or any one else finds a silk hat between Pittsburgh and Greensburg, they will, by returning it to this office, be relieved by the owner of the responsibility of taking care of it.

***Red Cloud, Spotted Tail and seven kindred spirits passed through the city on Saturday evening on their way to Washington city to see about that sugar and coffee, and the short rations generally on which they were put last winter.

***Detective Jim Scott was standing in the Opera House corridor last night grumbling at the women for coming to the meeting with their gold watches peeping half way out of their belts. Jim was on the watch for pick-pockets, who always become enthusiastic over such large temperance meetings, and never ignore an opportunity to take the very watches the Detective was growling about. The ladies should be more careful of their time pieces.

ANOTHER RUNAWAY.

Thrown out of a Buggy.

On Saturday evening about eight o'clock as Mrs. Andrews, wife of Col. John Andrews, the contractor, of Allegheny, and her son, a boy about fifteen years of age, were driving along Montgomery avenue, Allegheny, when their horse became frightened and ran off. At the corner of Federal street the buggy was upset and both the occupants violently thrown to the sidewalk. They were both picked up and carried into Dr. B. B. Smith's office, where it was found that besides being somewhat stunned and having received several severe bruises, they were unharmed. As soon as they were able they were removed to their home on Nunnery Hill.

In 30 Minutes,

from the Court house, you can reach J. R. & A. Murdoch's greenhouses (14 of them), where you will find *everything* in the way of Bedding plants, Roses, Verbenas, Geraniums &c., to choose from. Cars leave every 7 minutes, *or* call at their Seed store, 112 Smithfield street, opposite the postoffice, and get a catalogue and make your selections from it.

THE COURT RECORD.

A Complete Report of the Proceedings in the Courts Saturday.

United States District Court.
(*Before Judge McCandless.*)

In the matter of Carrier & Baum, bankrupts, of this city, on petition of Andrew F. Baum, one of the said bankrupts, and on motion of John M. Kennedy, Esq., his solicitor, a rule was granted on the assignee, and petitioning creditor to show cause why the adjudication should not be revoked, petition dismissed and all proceedings discontinued.

In the matter of the Citizen's Bank, of Titusville, Mr. H. Abbott, of Titusville, was chosen assignee, and J. H. Osmer, of Franklin, chosen solicitor for the assignee.

Common Pleas Court No. 1.
(*Before Judge Collier.*)

On petition, Conrad Van Buren was appointed trustee for Christina Vohr, wife of John Vohr, to recover and secure to her, her separate property.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of L. J. Blanchard and Wm. Brigham, Wm. J. Dilworth and George W. Eagy were appointed appraisers.

The petition of Sarah Strauss to secure her separate earnings was filed.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of Robert Finney, the assignee's account was presented and its publication ordered.

In the voluntary assignment of Wm. K. Hart et al. to D. F. Watson, the assignee was authorized to sell at private sale certain personal property to Mrs. Wm. K. Hart, at the value fixed by the appraisers.

In the matter of the voluntary assignment of C. and A. Strouse to Samuel S. Fell, the appraiser's report was presented and bond of assignee in the sum of $20,000 filed and approved.

Trial List for To-day.

McCutcheon et al. vs. Strouss et al.
Krug vs. Fowler.
McCarney vs. Berkowitz.
Coleman & Son vs. Lissberger.
Bahls vs. Anderson.
Wilson vs. Menoid.
Keller vs. P., V. & C. R. R. Co.
Hillengrass vs. Arnold et al.
Wood's Run Savings Bank vs. McCullough.
Haymeyer vs. Pearce.
Beebe, for use, vs. Iron City Fire Ins. Co.
Pollock vs. Carson et al.
Shutterly vs. Erdner et al.
McDermitt vs. Kelly et al.
Stokes vs. P., Ft. W. & C. R. R. Co.
Fawcett vs. Coffin, garnishee.

Common Pleas Court No. 2.
(*Before Judge White.*)

On motion of S. A. McClurg, Esq., Messrs. Alexander J. Barton and Howard J. Shurtliff were admitted to practice in this Court.

Margaret Clinton, by her next friend, E. Donnelly, vs. James Clinton; libel in divorce. Subpœna awarded.

Trial List for To-day.

Henderson vs. Chislett et al.
Ebert vs. Dervy.
Dean, trustee, vs. Mechling.
Gray vs. same.
Same vs. same.
The Eureka Ins. Co. vs. Breeman et al.
Gray, trustee, vs. Mechling.
McManus vs. Kelly.
Grayham, trustee, vs. Schleiper.
Stofft vs. the steam tug Minnie Harris.
Clark vs. Roth et al.
Grayham, trustee, vs. Hill.
Same vs. same.
Backley vs. Davidson.
Suaney vs. White et al.

Criminal Court.
(*Before Judge Ewing.*)

Daniel Haggarty was fined $100 and costs of prosecution, he having been found guilty of adultery.

Thos. E. Burtt, convicted of fornication and bastardy on oath of Ellen Bennett. Sentenced to pay $20 to prosecutor for lying in expenses, $20 for the support of the child from its birth to the present time, and $5 per month for the term of three years, and give bail in the sum of $500 to keep the peace.

D. F. Evans, convicted of aggravated assault and battery, was fined $15 and the costs of prosecution.

Frank Popolick, convicted of assault and battery on oath of L. Awainvessa; fined $25 and costs of prosecution.

Fred. Harry, convicted on two indictments for selling liquor on Sunday and to minors. Sentenced on first to pay a fine of $100, and costs of prosecution.

Ex-Chief White et al., convicted of forcible entry, sentenced to pay a fine of $10 each, with costs divided.

Daniel W. Cush, convicted of fornication and bastardy. Sentenced to pay $20 lying-in expenses, $10 for the support of the child from the time of birth up to the present, and $4 per month for support of the child for the period of three years.

In the case of George Harbaugh, convicted of unlawfully cutting one Graham, sentence was suspended.

The case of the Commonwealth vs. M. Streng, a pawn-broker on Sixth street, who was convicted of receiving stolen goods, in the shape of a gold ring, was argued before Judge Ewing on Saturday morning and a new trial granted. The Court seemed to think the grounds insufficient for the conviction of the defendant.

Trial List For To-Day.

Commonwealth vs.

Frank Miller.	James P. Thompson.
R. B. Blackstock.	Jas. Whipple.
John Dickson.	Adam Weigand 2.
J. M. Davis.	Owen O'Donnel.
Wm. Gold et al.	Louis Armstrong.
Chas. Ritter.	Pat. Duffy.
Ralph Lawyer.	Wilson Ingles.
John M. Clure.	John Kennedy et al.
Robert Powers.	Andrew Patterson.
Robt. J. Reed.	Rich. M. Bickerton.
Frank Ellis.	Rosina Elwany.
Thos. Clary.	Thos. R. Sill.
Thos. McDonough.	Adam Hoerr.
Thos. Scanlon.	

REUNION.

The One Hundred and Fifty-Fifth Regiment of Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers to Celebrate Their First Gathering.

A meeting of the surviving members of the One Hundred Fifty-Fifth Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers was held in the reception room of Municipal Hall, on Saturday evening, for the purpose of making arrangements to hold a reunion, Prof. Geo. P. Fulton occupying the chair and Messrs. Charles F. McKenna and George Booth acting as Secretaries.

It was decided to hold an adjourned meeting on next Saturday night, and, on motion of Lieut. Wells, the following committee was appointed to invite the surviving members of the regiment to be present on that occasion: Company A—Major-Gen. A. L. Pearson, Major Ed. A. Montooth. Co. B—John Hays, Walter McCabe, Samuel Heflick, Harry Weaver, Joseph McClurg. Company C—John F. Hunter, Jos. Cargo, John T. Dennison. Company D—Colonel Samuel Kilgore, George Booth, John Herron, George Herron, John Leech, James Carlton. Company E—M. B. Lemon, J. P. O'Neill, Lieutenant R. B. Brown, Newt. Hipley, George M. Laughem, Captain J. T. Powers, Robert Thompson, Hugh Park. Company F—Colonel Samuel W. Hill, Ellis C. Thorn, John H. Ralston, Marion Markle, Harry M. Curry, William H. King, W. P. Ketchum, John Markle, F. M. Martin. Company G—Major George F. Morgan, John H. Colner, Lieutenant John A. Cribbs, Lieutenant William A. Caldwell. Company H—Colonel John H. Ewing, Lieutenant William Allen. Company I—Leopold Wool, John Hays, John H. Kerr, John Syas. Company K—Porter Marshall, Major J. A. Cline. Colonel E. Jay Allen.

It was resolved, on motion, to issue the following circular: "The survivors of the old One Hundred and Fifty-fifth regiment, Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers, desiring to perpetuate the friendship created by companionship in field and camp during the late civil war, and, deeming it fit that not only the names and histories of the living should be treasured, but that the tender regard for the memory of our dead comrades should be cherished, propose to meet at Municipal Hall, Pittsburgh, on Saturday, May 22, at 7:30 P. M., in order to form a permanent organization, and to provide for an annual reunion."

The following sub-committee on Printing was appointed: George Booth, S. W. Hill, C. F. McKenna, Lieut. James Wells and James P. O'Neill.

The meeting then adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening next, to learn, as far as possible, the addresses of the surviving members of the regiment.

AMUSEMENTS.

Pittsburgh Opera House.

Mr. T. G. Riggs, the well known Irish comedian, appears to-night as *Suil Gair* in "Shin Fane," a drama in which he has played here before. The character of Mr. Riggs' delineations of Irish peculiarities is different from the average one, in that it truthfully exhibits Irish nature instead of burlesqueing it.

Trimble's Varieties.

In securing attractions for this week Mr. Aims, true to his principles, has managed to get the best that can be procured, and the performance to-night will be in the hands of such well known artists as George Knight, Charley Benedict, Fannie Herring, R. N. Ferguson, Alice Bateman, Jennie Engel, George F. Moore and others.

Professor Fowler.

The public will doubtless be glad to learn that Professor Fowler has consented to remain another week in this city in order that all who desire to consult him may do so. He is stopping at the Monongahela House, and his hours for consultations are from 8 A. M. until 10 P. M. He lectures to-night at Lafayette Hall to gentlemen only.

Library Hall.

The brief season of the Tony Pastor combination commences to-night, at Library Hall. The troupe is now on its fifth annual tour, and all who have seen Tony Pastor will go to see him again, while those who have not seen him should. Performances will also be given to-morrow and Wednesday evening, and at a matinee on Wednesday. Seats for sale at Hale's.

LACE CURTAINS.

Hugus & Hacke

desire to call attention to their large and varied stock of Lace Curtains, consisting of Nottingham Lace, Ecru Guipure Lace, French Guipure Lace, French and Swiss Tambourd Lace, embracing many new and handsome designs, which are offered at extraordinary low prices.

HUGUS & HACKE,
Fifth avenue and Market street.

Banking House To Let.

The Banking house formerly occupied by the Dollar Savings Bank, East Diamond, Allegheny, with fixtures, fire proof vault, &c., is offered for rent. See "To Let" column. tf

VIEWERS' REPORTS.

VIEWERS' REPORT—On the damages caused by the grading of Forty-second street from Butler street to Penn avenue.

To the Select and Common Councils of the city of Pittsburgh:

The undersigned Viewers of Street Improvements in the city of Pittsburgh, appointed by the Court of Quarter Sessions of Allegheny county, and authorized by a Joint Resolution passed on the 21st day of Dec., A. D. 1874, a copy of which is hereto attached, to appraise the damages sustained in the grading of Forty-second street, from Butler street to Penn avenue, in the city of Pittsburgh, and make an assessment therefor, under the provisions of and in accordance with an act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning Streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved the 6th day of January, A. D. 1864, and the supplements thereto, respectfully report:

That having been first duly sworn and qualified according to law, they proceed in the manner and according to the directions of said act, to discharge the duties of their appointment; and, having given the notices required by said act, they viewed the premises and heard all the allegations and evidence of the several parties claiming damages, and, after full consideration thereof, made a true and conscionable appraisement of the same; that, after ascertaining the whole amount of damages, they made an assessment of the same upon the properties benefited by said improvement, and caused a plot to be made, and prepared a statement as required by said act; and having given to the owner of each lot ten days' notice of the time and place of meeting, they met on the 24th day of April, A. D. 1875, at the office of Board of Viewers, in the city of Pittsburgh, heard all complaints and evidence presented, and, after full consideration thereof, do find that the following named owners of property will sustain damages for which they are entitled to compensation, each for the amount set opposite his name, respectively, viz.:

Viewers' report on the damages caused by the grading of Forty-second street, from Butler street to Penn avenue.

Damages.

To J. F. McClure, damage to property	$ 65 00
To E. Davison damage to property	2,000 00
To Mary Casey damage to property	100 00
To Thos. Gibbs damage to property	115 00
To Mrs. McKee damage to property	175 00
To Wm. Taylor damage to property	800 00
To Mary Ann Moore damage to property	245 00
To Jacob Rauh damage to property	295 00
To J. T. Bradshaw damage to property	262 00
To K. Bracken damage to property	100 00
To N. Shonborn damage to property	159 00
To G. Pickstein damage to property	159 00
To J. Clark damage to property	205 00
To S. Lindsey damage to property	215 00
To M. McCullough, Jr., damage to property	150 00
To Mrs. Clarks, heirs damage to property	150 00
To Geo. Warner damage to property	150 00
To E. Reitmiller damage to property	100 00
To J. Federline damage to property	100 00
To Barbara Weissing's heirs damage to property	100 00
To J. Irwin damage to property	600 00
To J. Giles damage to property	200 00
To Printing Ordinances & Notices	15 00
To Printing Viewers' Report	8 50
To Serving Notices	5 00
To Engineering & Tracing	29 19
To Viewers' Time	120 00
	$6,622 69

BENEFITS.

West Side.	Feet.	Price.	
J. T. McClure	100	$1.25	$125 00
Edward Davison	158	do	197 50
May Casey	20	do	25 00
Thos. Gibbs	20	do	25 00
Emma P. Burrington	24	do	30 00
Mrs. McKee	24	do	30 00
Wm. Taylor	24	do	30 00
Mary Ann Moore	24	do	30 00
Mary Ann Moore	24	2.25	54 00
Jacob Rauh	24	1.25	30 00
J. Bradshaw	24	do	30 00
A. Kalloway	24	2.25	54 00
Edw. Davison	56	1.25	70 00
Edw. Davison	67	2.25	150 75
L. S. Johns	185	do	416 21
L. S. Johns	459	75c	344 25
T. O. Reiley	20	2.25	45 00
J. Irwin	60	do	135 00
W. Johnson	20	do	45 00
E. Fillinger	20	do	45 00
W. F. Wilson	40	do	90 00
C. P. Thiers	40	do	90 00
N. Shornborn	40	do	90 00
G. Peckstein	22	do	49 50
C. House	22	do	49 50
J. C. Stewart	22	do	49 50
Jane Bedford	22	do	49 50
W Livingston	40	do	90 00
Ellen Lemon	10	do	22 50
Paul Seibert's estate	200	do	450 00
K. Bracken	25	do	56 25
J. Fuch	50	1.25	62 50
			$3,060 96

East Side.	Feet.	Price.	
J. M. Naeser	66	$1.25	82 50
Margaretta Grover	27	$2.25	50 75
J. Costello	25	do	56 25
G. McKee	50	do	112 50
Riddle & Shaw	50	do	112 50
P. Hoffmeister	25	do	56 25
J. Clark	25	$1.25	31 25
S. Lindsey	25	do	31 25
J. S. Pearson	60	$2.25	135 00
F. W. Steinart	60	do	135 00
J. Hoffman	68	do	153 00
M. McCollough, Jr.	221	do	497 25
M. McCollough, Jr.	182	75c.	136 50
M. Warner	22	do	16 50
Mrs. Clarks' heirs	22	do	16 50
M. McCollough, Jr.	44	do	33 00
E. Reitmiller	34	do	25 50
J. Federline	34	do	25 50
Weissing's heirs	22	do	16 50
M. McCollough, Jr.	63	do	47 25
J. Irwin	108	do	81 00
J. Irwin	287	$2.25	645 75
B. & W. Lockhart	25	do	56 25
R. Irwin	50	do	112 50
J. Heath	25	do	56 25
C. Wells	100	do	225 00
D. Berg	19	do	42 73
J. Marshall's heirs	116	do	261 00
K. Bracken	93	do	209 25
J. Giles	23	$1.25	28 75
G. Wright	50	do	62 50
			$3,561 73

Respectfully submitted,
ROBERT VANDEVORT,
JAMES CASSIDY,
M. EDWARDS,
Viewers,
April 26, 1875.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Filed for Record.

The following transfers of real estate have been placed on file in the Recorder's office since our last report:

Ezekiel Hosick et ux. to Michael Hosick, April 26, 1875; lot on Palo Alto street, Allegheny. Price $3,500

Wm. A. Huffman et ux. to S. & W. R. Livingston, May 1, 1875; lot in McKeesport borough, on Locust street. Price $1,500

John Ganster to Joseph Malone, November 4, 1872; lot in Etna borough. Price $840

Christian Starz to Wm. and Henry Luebb, December 4, 1872; lot in Lower St. Clair township, corner of Washington avenue and Florence street. Price $2,250

A. C. Patterson to Ellen R. Flacker, March 1, 1875; lot in Fifth ward, Allegheny, on Beaver avenue. Price $7,000

Benjamin Miller et ux. to Elizabeth Nolmes, April 24, 1875; lot on same avenue as above. Price $1,500

Sheriff's Poll Deed to Stephen A. Hunter, April 26, 1875; 122 acres and 41 perches in Finley township. Price $5,200

Jacob Hetzel to Charles Hoffman et al., April 12, 1875; lot on Lacock street, Allegheny. Consideration $1

John Lambie to James T. Lambie, May 12, 1875; one hundred acres in Indiana township. Price $7,000

James S. Wicks et ux. to Jane Cunningham, April 27, 1871; eight acres in Jefferson township. Price $600

Henry Crosby et ux. to J. J. Lawrence, April 13, 1875; lot on Pennsylvania avenue, Allegheny. Price $15,000

James Fuller et ux. to R. D. Beatty, September 22, 1864; undivided half of a lot in the Nineteenth ward, city. Price $750

James Parker et ux. to R. D. & R. C. Beatty, March 1, 1875; eight lots in Verona borough. Price $4,900

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The voice of the great West accords to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters the foremost place among specifics for malarial disease, and this opinion is echoed wherever upon this continent the Bitters have been introduced as a remedy for intermittent and remittent fevers. Those maladies being the peculiar scourge of vast regions of country in the Western and South-western States, it is not surprising that the Bitters should be the great medicinal staple of such localities, or that their inhabitants should regard this article as indispensable in the household. The experience of the western emigrant proves that it is the very best means of acclimating him to unaccustomed air or water, and old residents of fever and ague regions say that it is the only thing that protects them with certainty against the visitation of miasmatic disease. An equally high estimate is placed upon its virtues as a remedy for stomach, bowel and bilious complaints, and as a general tonic and corrective.

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DIED:

SIMPSON—Sunday morning, May 16, 1875, at 5 o'clock, Mrs. JANE SIMPSON, mother-in-law of JOSEPH HASTINGS, Esq., in the 74th year of her age.

The funeral will take place TUESDAY AFTERNOON, May 18th, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her son, Mr. WILLIAM SIMPSON, No. 49 Congress street, Pittsburgh. The friends are respectfully invited to attend without further notice.

BUTTERFIELD—On Sunday, May 16th, at midnight, JONAS R. BUTTERFIELD.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

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ORDINANCES.

NOTICE.—The following Ordinances relative to Street Improvements are published for information, in accordance with the provision of section 6 of an Act of Assembly, entitled "A further supplement to an act entitled an act concerning Streets and Sewers in the city of Pittsburgh, approved March 20th, 1873:

SECTION 6. That no Ordinance or any improvement and no report of viewers shall be finally acted upon by both branches of Councils until at least one week after its representation and publication in official papers authorized to do the city printing.

And will be presented to Councils for final action at next meeting.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the construction of a sewer on Mulberry alley, from Thirty-second street to Thirty-third street sewer.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, that the City Engineer be and is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals for the construction of a pipe sewer eighteen inches in diameter on Mulberry alley, from Thirty-second street to Thirty-third street sewer, and to let the same in the manner directed by an act concerning streets, approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto and ordinances of Council relative to the same. The cost and expense of the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly, entitled "An act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6th, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the opening of McCandless avenue from its eastern intersection with Stanton avenue to the Allegheny river.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the City Engineer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to survey and open within sixty days from the date of the passage of this ordinance, McCandless avenue from its eastern intersection with Stanton avenue to the Allegheny river, at a width of sixty feet, in accordance with a plan marked "C. W. Houston" hereto annexed and made a part of this ordinance, the damages caused thereby and the benefits to pay the same to be assessed and collected in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly entitled "An Act concerning streets and sewers in the city of Pittsburgh," approved January 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Authorizing the assessment of damages and benefits caused by the grading of Second avenue, from Cross street to railroad crossing near Greenwood.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by authority of the same, That the board of viewers of street improvements be and they are hereby authorized and directed to assess the benefits and damages caused by the grading of Second avenue, from Cross street to railroad crossing, near Greenwood, in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly entitled "an Act concerning streets and sewers in the City of Pittsburgh," approved January 6, 1864, and the several supplements thereto.

AN ORDINANCE—Establishing the grade of Thirty-fourth street, South Side, from Sarah street to Jane street.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the City of Pittsburgh in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That the grade of Thirty-fourth street, from Sarah street to Jane street, South Side, be and the same is hereby established as follows: Beginning at an elevation of 55.88 above city datum; thence at a rise of 10.63 feet per 100 to a point; thence level for a distance of 48 feet; thence at a rise of 14 feet per 100 to Jane street.

AN ORDINANCE—For the vacation of that portion of Lake street, Twenty-first ward, from Spring street to a point 94 feet east of Lincoln avenue.

SECTION 1. Be it ordained and enacted by the city of Pittsburgh, in Select and Common Councils assembled, and it is hereby ordained and enacted by the authority of the same, That that portion of Lake street, Twenty-first ward, from Spring street to a point 94 feet north of Lincoln avenue, be vacated in accordance with the provisions of an act of Assembly approved.

E. S. MORROW, Clerk.

LATEST RIVER NEWS.

Specials to the Pittsburgh Gazette.

WHEELING, W. VA., May 19, 1875.

The river has seven feet two inches of water in the channel, and is falling. Departed—Carrie Brooks, Pittsburgh, 6 A. M.; Exchange, Cincinnati, 8 A. M.; Mollie Ebert, Pittsburgh, 4 P. M. The weather is clear and cool.

STEUBENVILLE, May 16, 1875.

The river has six feet two inches of water in the channel, and is falling. The weather is clear and cool. Passed down—Exchange. Up—Salt Valley, R. W. Skillinger, Carrie Brooks, and Storm.

CINCINNATI, May 16, 1875.

The river has fifteen feet of water in the channel, and is falling. The weather is clear and pleasant. Arrived—Minneola, Memphis; Shannon, Nashville.

CAIRO, May 16, 1875.

Arrived—Ashland, Cincinnati, 8 P. M.; Ste. Genevieve, Vicksburg, 9; Arkansas Belle, Evansville, Sunday, 2; Julia, St. Louis, 5. Departed—Ashland, Arkansas River, 9 P. M.; Ste. Genevieve, St. Louis, 10; Liberty No. 3, Ohio River, 7 A. M.; Simpson Horner, New Orleans; Arkansas Belle, Evansville, 6 P. M.; Julia, Vicksburg, 8. The river has twenty-eight feet seven inches, and is falling. The weather is clear; mercury 74.

LOUISVILLE, May 16, 1875.

The river is stationary, with eight feet of water in the canal, and six feet in Indian chute. Arrived—Fawn, Henderson; Minneola, Memphis; C. B. Church, Cincinnati; Shannon, Nashville; J. D. Parker, Cincinnati; City of Quincy, Cincinnati. Departed—Shannon, Cincinnati; J. D. Parker, Memphis; Minneola, Cincinnati; C. B. Church, New Orleans.

ST. LOUIS, May 16, 1875.

Arrived—Brown, Cairo; Minnesota and Lake Superior, St. Paul; Bernard, Coal Hill, and Susie Silver, Ohio River; Chester, Memphis; Rob Roy, Keokuk. Departed—Wild Duck, Cairo; Storm, New Orleans. The river is falling slowly. The weather is clear and pleasant.

MEMPHIS, May 16, 1875.

The river is falling steadily. The weather is clear and cool. Arrived—Ashland, Cincinnati. Departed—Great Republic, St. Louis.

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DISSOLUTION—NOTICE IS HEREBY given that the firm of LITTELL & MECHLING, Wholesale Liquor dealers, was dissolved on February 1st, 1875.

JAMES LITTELL,
W. H. MECHLING.

Pittsburgh, May 1, 1875.

Having purchased the interest of W. H. Mechling in the firm of Littell & Mechling, the business will be hereafter conducted by me at the old place, No. 237 Liberty street, Pittsburgh. No person is authorized to use the firm name except the undersigned.

JAMES LITTELL.

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DIVIDENDS.

THIRD NATIONAL BANK,
PITTSBURGH, May 8, 1875.
☞THE DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK have this day declared a Dividend of FIVE PER CENT. out of the earnings of the last six months, payable on demand, free of tax.
50 W. STEINMEYER, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE ALLEGHENY GAS CO.,
No. 30 West Diamond Street,
ALLEGHENY, PA., May 3, 1875.
☞DIVIDEND.—THE BOARD OF Directors of this Company have this day declared a Dividend of ONE DOLLAR PER SHARE out of the profits of the last six months, payable on and after the 15th inst.
44 J. S. DAVIDSON, Treasurer.

ELECTIONS.

☞ELECTION NOTICE.—THE ANnual meeting of the Stockholders of the LITTLE SAW MILL RUN RAILROAD CO., will be held at the office of the Company, 36th ward, city, formerly Temperanceville, on SATURDAY, May 22d, 1875, from 1 to 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of electing one President and six Directors for the ensuing year.
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POLITICAL.

SHERIFF.

☞FOR SHERIFF,
RICHARD H. FIFE,
OF PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap30

☞FOR SHERIFF,
WM. J. DIEHL,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29

☞FOR SHERIFF,
SAM. B. CLULEY,
ELEVENTH WARD, PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap30

☞FOR SHERIFF,
THOMAS W. LINDSAY,
OF PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap30

REGISTER.

☞FOR REGISTER AND CLERK OF ORPHANS COURT,
JOSEPH H. GRAY,
FOURTEENTH WARD, PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap26:q47

☞FOR REGISTER AND CLERK OF ORPHANS COURT,
B. F. BROWN,
OF FIFTH WARD, ALLEGHENY,
Subject to decision of Republican County Convention. ap27

☞FOR REGISTER AND CLERK OF ORPHANS COURT,
EDWARD JAY ALLEN,
Late Col. 155th Pa. Vols.
Subject to decision of Republican County Convention.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

☞FOR COMMISSIONER,
JAMES G. MURRAY,
OF UPPER ST. CLAIR,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29

☞FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
J. M. EDMUNDSON,
Of Robinson Township,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Committee.

☞FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
J. H. ROBB,
OF SCOTT TOWNSHIP,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my5

☞FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
AUGUSTUS BECKERT,
PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29

☞FOR COMMISSIONER,
GEO. W. WEDDELL,
OF NORTH VERSAILLES,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap29

☞FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
JOHN M'CLELLAND,
WEST DEER TOWNSHIP,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap27:q53

CLERK OF COURTS.

☞FOR CLERK OF COURTS,
WM. H. M'CLEARY,
TENTH WARD, PITTSBURGH,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. ap28

RECORDER.

☞FOR RECORDER,
RALPH J. RICHARDSON,
NINTH WARD, PITTSBURGH.
ap25:q46

☞FOR RECORDER,
M. VARNER,
OF BALDWIN TOWNSHIP,
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention. my4:q68

SPECIAL NOTICES.

OFFICE OF
TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
PITTSBURGH, April 1, 1875.

☞IN PURSUANCE OF THE TWENTY-first section of an Act relative to Allegheny county, approved the 1st day of May, 1861, and of the amendment of said section, approved the 30th day of March, 1866, I do hereby give notice that the duplicates for the several wards, boroughs and townships will be open, and I will be prepared to receive the

County, State and Poor Taxes
FOR 1875,
On and After the 1st Day of May, 1875.

Said Taxes can be paid at this office until the 1st DAY OF AUGUST, with

DEDUCTION OF FIVE PER CENT.

For prompt payment to all persons paying the whole amount of their Taxes.

There will be no reduction allowed during the month of August. There will be

TEN PER CENT. ADDED

To all Taxes remaining unpaid on the 1st DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1875.

SAMUEL KILGORE,
TREASURER OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY,
WASHINGTON, March 18, 1875.

Whereas, by satisfactory evidence presented to the undersigned, it has been made to appear that The Third National Bank of Allegheny, in the City of Allegheny, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, has been duly organized under and according to the requirements of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide a National Currency secured by a pledge of United State bonds and to provide for the circulation and redemption thereof," approved June 3d, 1864, and has complied with all the provisions of said act required to be complied with before commencing the business of banking under said act.

Now, therefore, I, Jno. Jay Knox, Comptroller of the Currency, do hereby certify that "The Third National Bank of Allegheny, in the City of Allegheny, in the county of Allegheny, and State of Pennsylvania, is authorized to commence the business of banking under the act aforesaid.

[L. S.] In testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of office, this 18th day of March, 1875.

(Signed) JNO. JAY KNOX,
Comptroller of Currency.

No. 2,235.

OFFICE OF THE
INSPECTOR OF GAS AND GAS METERS,
FOR ALLEGHENY COUNTY.

☞DESIRING THAT THE PUBLIC should more generally avail themselves of the advantages of this office, I would give notice to persons desiring to have their meters tested to leave their orders at the offices of their respective Gas Companies, or at my office, corner of Twenty-third and Smallman streets, where they will receive prompt attention.

R. H. SMITH, Inspector.

W. H. SCROGGINS
Fashionable Hair Dressing
AND
Shaving Saloon, Bath Rooms Attached,
No 48 North Diamond, Allegheny.